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PROCEEDINGS

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GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(JUDICIAL.)

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From

W. J. CUNINGHAM, ESQ.,
SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER
OF MYSORE.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF MADRAS.

General Department
(*Judicial.*)

Dated Camp, Mysore, 16th September 1879.

SIR,

In reply to your letter No. 1183, dated 20th May 1879, I am desired by the Chief Commissioner to intimate for the information of His Grace the Governor in Council that upon instituting an enquiry into the actual cost in each case of serving warrants issued from the Wynaad in Mysore, it is ascertained that in most districts of this Province Rs. 7, which is the price now charged, is below the average, but at the same time having consideration to the fact that the greater number of warrants received are for execution in the Districts of Mysore and Hassan where the average cost, owing to their comparative proximity to the Wynaad, is less than in other Districts, Mr. Gordon is prepared to lower the charges for every warrant to Rs. 5.

2. I am also directed to say that the information upon which the present estimate is based is not so complete as Mr. Gordon would wish, and if the further experience of another year shews that such can safely be done, he will be ready to reduce the fee still lower.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

READ—

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner, No. 2493—24, dated 19th June 1879.
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No. 4670—J. 77, DATED 16TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—It appears from the above read reports that while Rs. 7 is less than the average cost of executing warrants from the Wynaad in several Districts of the Province, the cost in Mysore and Hassan, where the majority of warrants issued under Act XIII of 1859, are received is calculated to be considerably less than that sum.

2. The Chief Commissioner is pleased to order, therefore, that for the future the fee to be charged for each warrant sent for service from the Wynaad shall be Rs. 5.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner.
" District Magistrates.
" Deputy Accountant General.

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READ—

Letter No. 1996—90, dated 25th August 1879, from the Judicial Commissioner forwarding a letter from the Superintendent of Coorg on a representation from the Coorg Planters' Association that the fee of Rs. 7 charged for warrants under Act XIII of 1859 executed in Mysore is too high, and that the fee should be returned when the warrant is returned unexecuted.

No. 4680—J. 78, DATED 16TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—A similar representation having been received from the Planters' Association in the Wynaad through the Madras Government, the Chief Commissioner instituted an inquiry into the actual cost of executing warrants under Act XIII of 1859 received from that District.

2. The result was that the Chief Commissioner felt justified in reducing the fee charged for each warrant to Rs. 5.

3. Looking to the situation of Coorg with regard to the Mysore and Hassan Districts, in which the majority of warrants are executed, Mr. Gordon considers that for warrants issued from Coorg for execution in Mysore a fee of Rs. 4 will suffice.

4. This fee is fixed according to the best procurable information as a fair average in each case, and therefore it is payable whether the process is served or not

5. If the experience of another year shews that the fee can be reduced still more, that will be done.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM,
Secretary

To—The Judicial Commissioner.
" District Magistrates.
" Secretary, Coorg Planters' Association.
" Deputy Accountant General in Mysore.
" Superintendent of Coorg.

From the Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, To the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, Judicial, No. 247 I. J., dated Simla, the 4th September 1879.

I am directed to acknowledge your Secretary's letter No. 3363—J. 58, dated 18th July 1879, submitting a draft Notification for the extension of Act No. XXVI of 1870 (The Prisons' Act) to Mysore.

2. In reply, I am to forward for your information, and publication in the *Mysore Gazette*, copy of a Notification of this date, extending the Act to Mysore, with certain modifications which have been considered necessary to adapt it to the Province.

3. You will observe that in the paragraph substituted for the first paragraph of section 6. the appointment of Inspector General of Prisons has been left in the hands of the Governor General in Council, as it is in the case of other Chief Commissionerships in British India to which the Act applies.

Foreign Department, Notification, Judicial, No. 246, I. J., dated Simla, the 4th September 1879.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to extend Act No. XXVI of 1870, (The Prisons' Act, 1870) to the Territories of Mysore, with effect from the 1st October 1879, and subject to the following modifications, *viz* :—

(*a*) Sections 1 and 2, and in section 13 the words 'Magistrate of the District or' shall be omitted.

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(*b*) In the preamble for the words 'North-Western Provinces, the Punjab, Oudh, the Central Provinces, and British Burma,' the words 'Territories of Mysore' shall be substituted.

(*c*) In section 6, for the first paragraph, the words 'an Inspector General of Prisons shall be appointed by the Governor General in Council' shall be substituted.

(*d*) In sections 4 and 6, for the words 'under such Government' the words 'of Mysore,' in the second paragraph of section 6, for the word 'each,' the word 'the,' and for the words 'Local Government,' wherever they occur, the words 'Chief Commissioner of Mysore' shall be substituted.

No. 4883—J. 5. DATED CAMP MYSORE, 20TH SEPTEMBER 1879

ORDERED that the Notification of the Government of India received with the above, extending the provisions of Act XXVI of 1870 (The Prisons' Act) to Mysore, be re-published in the *Mysore Gazette* for general information.

2. The power vested in Deputy Commissioners of Districts to interfere and pass orders in regard to the working of prisons under section 13 of the Act should be exercised in connection with the Jails of Bangalore, Mysore and Shimoga only in the case of real emergency and necessity, and such exercise should be immediately and fully reported to the Inspector General of Prisons. In all other Districts, the Officer in charge of the Jail shall act directly under the orders of the Deputy Commissioners, and to them the above instructions do not apply.

W. J. CUNINGHAM.
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner.
" Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Officers in charge of Jails.
" Compiler, Mysore Gazette

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No. 2139.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SIMLA, THE 11TH AUGUST 1879.

READ—

Endorsement by the Comptroller General, No. 3454, dated 24th February 1879, on correspondence between the Accountant General, Bombay, and the Commissioner of Customs, Opium and Abkari, in which the former states the rule that, fines imposed and confiscations ordered, that is, receipts realized by a Magistrate or other Judicial Officer, are credited to Law and Justice, while similar receipts realized under the orders of Revenue Officers are credited to the head of Revenue concerned, and in which the Commissioner of Customs, &c, contends that fines levied and confiscations realized under the Bombay Abkari Act should be credited to Excise, because a clause of the Act enacts that Abkari revenue shall mean revenue derived from any duty, fee, tax, or fine imposed under the provisions of the Abkari law in force.

Letter from the Comptroller General, No. 233, dated 2nd May 1879, reporting that under an order of the Government of India, No. 1292, dated 12th June 1875, fines imposed under the provisions of Bombay Regulation XXI of 1827, for the protection of the revenue derived, from the home consumption of opium, are credited under "Excise," instead of under "Opium," and enquiring whether the order of 1875 is still to be observed, in contravention of the rule, governing such cases, which was laid down in Financial Resolution No. 4223, dated 10th October 1871, and which prescribes that "all fines imposed by Judicial Officers should be credited to Law and Justice, except in cases in which it is otherwise prescribed by law."

Letter to Government of Bombay, No 480, dated 10th May 1879, enquiring whether His Excellency the Governor in Council has any objection to the fines levied judicially under the Bombay Abkari Act being credited in the Public Accounts in common with all other fines, under Law and Justice, and observing that there is no legal impediment to this course, inasmuch as the interpretation-clause in the Bombay Abkari Act, on which the Commissioner of Customs, Excise, &c, claims a credit to Excise, has no effect outside the Act in which it is found.

Letter from the Government of Bombay, No. 27-68, dated 27th May 1879, forwarding a report from Mr. Pritchard, the Acting Commissioner of Customs, who re-asserts the propriety of the credit to Excise, on the ground, among others, that it is necessary for the administration of the Excise Revenue, that a considerable expenditure be incurred as rewards to informers and persons preventing and detecting offences against the Excise laws, and that as the charges on this account are debited against Excise, it seems just and correct that the penalties recovered for offences against the Excise laws should be credited to the same head, in the same way that penalties levied under the Customs Act, by whomsoever awarded and recovered, are credited to Customs' Revenue.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council directs that all fines and confiscations imposed and realized by the Courts of Justice, shall be recorded in the Finance and Revenue Accounts under the head of ***Law and Justice.*** Fines and confiscations imposed for the breach of any fiscal law which are realized by the Revenue Officers, should be recorded in the Finance and Revenue Accounts under the head of Revenue concerned.

ORDERED, that a copy of this Resolution be sent to the several Departments of the Government of India; the several Local Governments and Administrations; the Comptroller General, the Accountants General, and the Deputy Accountants General in independent charge.

E. J. SINKINSON,
Under-Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 4330—F. 7, DATED 1ST SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDERED, that a copy of the above Resolution be communicated for information and guidance to the Judicial Commissioner in Mysore and Coorg, to the Revenue Department, to the Commissioners and Deputy Commissioners in Mysore, the Deputy Accountant General and the Superintendent of Coorg.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner.
" Dy. Accountant General.
" Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Superintendent of Coorg.
" Secretary, Revenue Department.

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(GENERAL.)

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From the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, To Her Majesty's Resident, Mysore, dated Colombo, 9th August 1879.

I am directed to forward to you the enclosed paper giving details of the result of experiments undertaken to counteract the Coffee Leaf Disease (*Hemileia Vastatrix*) in Ceylon, which may prove interesting to you.

REPORTS UPON EXPERIMENTS CONNECTED WITH THE COFFEE LEAF DISEASE.

No. 1

From the Assistant Director, Royal Botanic Gardens, To the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, dated Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya, 9th July 1879.

I have the honor to report that in accordance with instructions contained in your letters of the 13th and 19th of March last, I placed myself in communication with the Sub-Committee of the Planters' Association, for the purpose of assisting in experiments in connection with the coffee leaf disease, and testing and advising upon the results.

I also placed myself in communication with the leading planters of each district, as recommended in your letter of the 13th March, and made arrangements to co-operate with them in observing and collecting information respecting the coffee leaf disease, in seeking a remedy for it, and in testing, by scientific investigation, the various results aimed at, so that such process or processes as might be proved to be efficacious and practicable might be authoritatively recommended for general adoption.

I met the members of the Sub-Committee on the 5th April, and at their request made arrangements for visiting districts where experiments had already been conducted. My object in visiting the coffee districts was to watch the development and character of the leaf disease on estates variously affected by elevation, climate, rain-fall, &c., to note the effects of the different systems of cultivation upon the disease, and to decide whether certain soils or the application of certain manures had any influence either in mitigating the effects of leaf disease or increasing them. Owing to the circular letter of 19th March, which His Excellency the Governor had caused to be addressed to the leading planters of each district, I was placed in immediate communication with men of wide knowledge and experience in coffee culture, and I was able when visiting the various districts to receive valuable assistance from their practical knowledge, and from the hearty and ready manner in which they co-operated with me in my work. A list of names of gentlemen who, at His Excellency's request, have acted as correspondents for their several districts and made arrangements for my visits, is included in this report. In addition to the names here given I desire to mention that the officers of the Planters' Association, and especially the Chairmen and Secretaries of the Local Associations, have rendered me willing and ready help, and I attribute much of the success of my work to the aid thus rendered.

In conference with the Sub-Committee, it was understood that while I would naturally seek districts where the leaf disease was most prevalent, and endeavour to trace out the causes which had produced attacks of the disease in a severe form, I would in the first instance visit more particularly districts where experiments had been conducted on a large scale, and where the most strenuous efforts were being put forth to combat it; and while I deemed it an important part of my duty to observe the results of further trials made with flowers of sulphur and coral lime, which, in the experiment conducted by the Hon. G. A. Talbot and myself on Wallaha, had given the most promising hopes of success, I was prepared to assist in experiments with other specifics likely to prove efficacious and to test by scientific investigations the results aimed at.

It would be impossible for me to enumerate all the materials which have been tried during the late experiments as specifics for the coffee leaf disease, and especially to enter into detailed account of the results. For practical purposes it will, I hope, be sufficient if I mention some of the principal materials used, and give the general results only.

Among the most important of the materials tried as specifics for the coffee leaf disease are the following, *viz* :—

a. Flowers of sulphur (sublimed sulphur) applied in a powdered state.
b. Sulphur vivum, or refuse sulphur,

c. Flowers of sulphur in soap solutions.
d. Flowers of sulphur mixed with caustic coral lime applied in a powdered state.
e. Caustic coral lime.
f. Country lime (dolomitic) produced on estates.
g. *Grison's mixture* (calcic-sulphate) applied in solution.
h. The fumes of burning sulphur—
  1. Applied under umbrellas.
  2. Applied in the open field.

i. Salt solutions—
  1. Sea water.
  2. Salt solution, according to Mr. Northmore's formula.
  3. Solution of Puttalam salt and Epsom salt.
  4. Solution of Tidman's sea salt.
j. Carbolic acid in one per cent and two per cent solutions.
k. Phenyle as used for vine disease.
l. Ammonical liquor from Colombo Gas Works.
m. Condy's fluid.
n. Sulphurous acid.
o. Bichromate of potash in one per cent solutions.

District visited.

1. Early in April, at the request of the Sub-Committee, I made arrangements to visit the Knuckles, Madulkele and Matale Districts, and examine the results of the experiments which had been carried on there. In the first instance, I co-operated with Mr. A. G. K. Borron, and initiated a series of experiments on Lebanon Estate with salt solutions and flowers of sulphur. On Madulkele Estate with Mr. A. T. Karslake, I observed the results of fumigation as advocated by Dr. Jewesbury, and noticed that the new flush of leaves just out was again severely attacked by leaf disease. After making arrangements with Mr. Karslake for starting a series of experiments with sulphur and lime and with Grison's mixture, I proceeded to Elkaduwa, where, under the direction of Mr. George Wall, Mr. Gray had experimented with the fumes of burning sulphur and with flowers of sulphur. At the date of my visit the fumigated coffee, which had been treated every month since October last, was shewing leaf disease badly; the coffee treated with flowers of sulphur, about 2,000 trees had diseased spots appearing slightly upon them, but after a careful examination of the branches and leaves and finding no old filaments upon them, I expressed the opinion "that the re-infection of these trees was due almost entirely to spores blown on from the neighbouring coffee." I shall have occasion to refer again to Mr. Gray's experiments, and to the thorough and effective character of these and similar experiments undertaken by Messrs. George Wall & Co. Speaking of them at the general meeting of the Planters' Association lately held in Kandy, I said: "While Mr. Wall has naturally given great prominence and support to experiments carried on with fumes of *burning sulphur*, he has given very thorough trials to most of the other specifics which have from time to time been advocated, and personally I am greatly indebted to him and to his intelligent superintendents for opportunities freely afforded me of observing the results of several most valuable experiments; and though I am compelled to report unfavorably of the results of some of these experiments, I cannot but feel that the planters of Ceylon owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. Wall for the thorough and careful manner which has characterized his efforts to discover a remedy for the coffee leaf disease."

On Kandanuwara Estate, Elkaduwa, Mr. Fraser had experimented on about three acres of coffee with flowers of sulphur, but he was unable, owing to the absence of his assistant, to give me sufficient data to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion. In the "sweeping up" or *mulching* process adopted by Mr. Fraser, there are many advantages which under ordinary circumstances would be most beneficial in coffee culture, but, unless the mass of rotten leaves, prunings, &c., which Mr. Fraser gathers round the stem of each tree is periodically disinfected by means of sulphur and lime, there is much reason to fear that it will form a *nidus* for the spores and filaments of the leaf disease and injuriously affect the coffee. On the 17th of April I visited Borders Estate, Matale, where Mr. Orchard had been experimenting with fumes of burning sulphur and with flowers of sulphur. The results obtained here were very similar to those obtained on Elkaduwa Estate, but Mr. Orchard's experiments deserve notice on account of the very careful manner in which they had been conducted. While at Weygala, a few days later, I observed the effects of caustic coral lime on a field of eighty acres treated by Mr. J. F. Moir. The lime had been applied as a surface dressing at the rate of from 10 to 12 bushels per acre, and every care appeared to have been taken to apply the powder to the leaves and branches. On a critical examination of this coffee I found that the prunings and the ground had been thoroughly disinfected, as also the stems and lower branches, but on the younger branches and leaves I found filaments in some quantity. If flowers of sulphur had been applied with the lime there is no doubt there would have been much more favorable results, for the sulphurous acid gas gradually evolved from the sulpher would have killed off what the lime had left.

On again visiting Madulkele I observed that in Mr. Karslake's experiments with *Grison's mixture* the effects were very satisfactory and promising, and it was considered desirable to continue them. The results of the experiments with salt solutions on Lebanon Estate had not given satisfactory results, and, so far as I could judge, the salt had had no effect whatever upon either the filaments or spores of the leaf disease.

2. Early in May I visited the Dimbula and Lindula districts. I began my observations at Craigie Lea Estate, where Mr. Keith had applied sulphur vivum to a field of coffee in February and March last. The general effects apparent in May were very similar to those obtained from a good application of manure; the coffee looked brighter and greener, and with a much less show of leaf disease. After carefully working out the results of this experiment, I nevertheless came to the conclusion that *sulphur vivum* is not so effectual as flowers of sulphur in checking the disease, and that the best qualities of sulphur will in the end be found the most economical.

On Middleton Estate Mr. Renton had experimented on six acres of coffee with 2 cwts. of flowers of sulphur. Taking into consideration the almost infinitesimal dose applied to each tree (less than the third of an ounce) and the advanced state of the disease when it was applied, the effects were generally satisfactory. It is however manifestly unfair to take this and similar experiments, where the conditions so necessary to success are *not* observed, as conclusive tests of the value of a specific for the coffee leaf disease; when the disease has entered the leaves and is feeding on their tissue, there is no specific known, which can effectually kill it without at the same time destroying the leaves themselves. The trees should be treated when the disease is mostly external, and sufficient material should be applied to cover the tree and the ground very thoroughly. In subsequent experiments with a mixture of sulphur and lime, Mr. Renton had to contend with the lateness of the season and heavy monsoons rains, but, taking these circumstances into consideration, I have reason to believe that Mr. Renton will derive much benefit from his experiments and certainly more than sufficient to compensate him for the cost incurred.

Mr. Stronach on St Andrew's Estate had applied coral lime as a specific to several acres, and the results were similar to those observed on Weygala.

I have already described the results of the successful experiments carried on for Mr. Bosanquet by Mr. Harding on Yoxford Estate, and they abundantly prove the efficiency of the sulphur and lime treatment when properly applied, both in producing an abundant crop and reducing the amount of leaf disease.

At the date of my visit (May 7th) Mr. Elphinstone on Logie was engaged in clearing the stems and large branches of the trees by scraping off the mosses and lichens which covered them. This treatment was to be followed by a careful application of flowers of sulphur and coral lime, and as the estate had been carefully dug up and well manured the effects of such a system of cultivation must be most interesting and conclusive.

While in Dimbula I met most of the leading planters of the district, and discussed with them the methods and the periods most suitable for the application of remedies. I also observed the special stage of the leaf disease in the district, and endeavoured to shew that during the earlier months of the year, when the disease is not apparent to the naked eye, it is still present on the trees in considerable quantity, and that this stage—*the filamentous stage*—is the best time to treat it.

On the 10th May I attended a general meeting of the Dimbula Planters' Association and gave an address. I afterwards visited Dambagastalawa, Dessford and other estates in the district, for the purpose of meeting planters and making observations.

3. On Drayton Estate Mr. Stopforth-Sackville and Mr. Forsyth had for several months carried on a series of valuable experiments with sulphur and lime. The flowers of sulphur used at Drayton was of the best quality, and the effects were conclusive in favor of its general use. Mr Forsyth had also used coral lime as a disinfectant with much success, and the fields treated were looking remarkably well. The smaller branches however were shewing signs of the leaf disease, but not so severely as in the neighbouring coffee. While the coral lime in this instance had evidently done good in checking the disease, the results of this and similar experiments shew that the coral lime alone can never be depended upon as a cure for leaf disease.

While on Hatton Estate with Mr. J. L. Shand, I had an opportunity for making observations and noticing the general character of the coffee in the Dikoya district. Leaf disease here does not appear to attract much attention, and, though present in some instances in an aggravated form, no experiments appear to have been undertaken with the view of checking it. From the strong and healthy character of most of the coffee in this comparatively new district, I have reason to believe that the effects of specifics would be most satisfactory, and it is especially in such districts that coffee is worth the labor and cost of the best treatment. On the 17th May I attended a meet-

ing of the Dikoya Planters' Association, and on the following days explained the nature and development of the leaf disease under the microscope, at Dikoya and Del Rey Estates. I had intended, after this, to visit Maskeliya and make observations in that large and important district, but owing to the break of the S. W. monsoon and the near approach of the general meeting of the Planters' Association to be held in Kandy, I had to postpone my visit and return to Peradeniya.

At the meeting of the Planters' Association held in Kandy I gave an address, in which I summed up the results of my investigations, and discussed the value of the several specifics which had been so far tried. The weight of evidence was daily becoming more and more conclusive in favor of sulphur and lime, and I felt it my duty to decide against the further use of the fumes of burning sulphur and salt solutions, and to concentrate attention upon specifics of a more satisfactory character.

4. At the invitation of Mr. T. Smith, Chairman of the Doloshage Planters' Association, I visited that district in the end of May, and examined the results of experiments tried at Barnagalla. I met the planters of the district on 3rd June, and explained the nature of the coffee leaf disease and shewed the effects of specifics upon it.

In conjunction with Mr. Blackett and Mr. Smith experiments were tried with different proportions of flowers of sulphur and coral lime, applied *by hand* instead of by blowers. Mr. Blackett had had great experience in the application of lime on Dotal-oya, and he believed that if the effects were equally satisfactory as regards the disease, application by hand would greatly lessen the cost of labor and enable planters to utilize all their coolies and treat 300 or 400 acres of coffee within a fortnight or three weeks. The importance of the subject led me to give it very close and careful attention, and after repeating the experiments under various conditions and carefully checking them. I felt satisfied that application *by hand* was practicable, and that with great care on the part of the Superintendent the trees were likely to benefit nearly as much as if the material was applied by means of blowers. While in Doloshage I visited Dotal-oya, Windsor Forest, and other estates in the district, and from what I saw of it there is every reason to hope that by carefully up-rooting "shuck" coffee trees and plentifully supplying the vacancies with tea, the experiments upon the leaf disease in this district will have good chances of success.

5. On the 11th June I visited Rajawella estate, where Mr. Ingleton, at the request of the Planters' Association, had conducted very careful experiments with flowers of sulphur in soap solution, with various salt solutions, and with a mixture of sulphur and lime. Mr. Ingleton has since sent in a report to the Planters' Association upon these experiments, and giving the results from a planter's point of view. The salt solutions evidently had had no effect upon the leaf disease. The sulphur in soap solution had given good results, but the application of flowers of sulphur and coral lime were eminently satisfactory.

I once more visited Elkaduwa estate on the June 12th, for the purpose of observing the results of Mr. Gray's further experiments. I found that with the salt solutions the results of the experiments of Rajawella were fully borne out. The field of fumigated coffee, accepted as a test experiment, after receiving monthly fumigations since October last, was shewing the leaf disease in an aggravated form, while, according to Mr. Gray, the field treated with flowers of sulphur still afforded satisfactory results.

6. On the 13th June I visited Passellawa, met the leading planters of the district, and observed the results of experiments carried on by Mr. Carey with sulphur and lime and with Grison's mixture on Delta, and with salt solutions by Mr. Mais on Whyddon. In the Pundalu-oya valley I visited Kaipugala, Fernlands and Sheen estates. On the latter estate I observed the results of several experiments with flowers of sulphur, and with sulphur and lime carried on by Mr. Reeves. On Choisy I noticed the effects of *phenyle*, a specific for the vine disease, applied by Mr. Grant, but the results were not satisfactory. On Rangboda Mr. Gosset had carried on a series of very careful experiments, which I observed on June 17th. The results were eminently satisfactory in demonstrating the effects of sulphur and lime applied in a powdered state, and also in confirming what had been previously observed respecting *Grison's mixture*. At Helboda, Mr. De Caen had carried on several very interesting experiments with sulphur and lime, and from them I was able to demonstrate that even when a fine powder of sulphur and lime is blown by the wind into coffee on the other side of a road, it is effectual in killing the filaments of the leaf disease. Mr. De Caen had carefully experimented with different proportions of sulphur and lime, but the most satisfactory were those in which the proportions of sulphur and lime were respectively one of sulphur to two of lime and one of sulphur to three of lime.

7. On the 23rd June I met the planters of the Hantane district, and examined the results of experiments carried on by Mr. Ross of Peradeniya estate. These experiments shewed, very conclusively, the effects of sulphur and lime in checking the leaf disease, and I have every reason to believe that Mr. Ross will shortly be enabled to effect a marked improvement in his estate by the careful and intelligent use of remedies.

8. I met the Committee of the Planters' Association on the 27th June, and handed in my final report, in which I had summed up at some length the results of the late experiments. A copy of the report is herewith enclosed.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the General Department, (General),—dated 4th September 1879.

9. On 4th July I met in Colombo "the leading merchants and others interested in the agricultural and commercial enterprise of Ceylon," and offered explanations respecting the coffee leaf disease, and gave an account of the results of experiments carried on in the various coffee districts. On the following day I examined the results of experiments carried by Mr. Staniforth Green on coffee trees in Colombo, and demonstrated to the gentlemen present the decided effects of sulphur and lime in destroying the filaments of the leaf disease.

General Results of Experiments.

In accordance with my instructions I have from time to time kept the Planters' Association acquainted, both by addresses and reports, with the progress made during the late experiments. I have always endeavoured to place my recommendations in as practicable a form as possible, and to adapt the various treatments to the special circumstances of coffee estates; and there is no doubt that the majority of planters are now convinced that by careful and judicious treatment a means has been found whereby the leaf disease can be most effectively reduced. My recommendations are, that while the disease is in the filamentous stage and an external parasite, it should be treated by a mixture of sulphur and lime, applied either by blowers or by hand, and that at the same time every effort should be made to remove *at once* all sickly trees and those not likely to be crop-producers, and prevent by every possible means the re-infection of good coffee. When planters have successfully applied remedies on a large scale and removed the sources of infection on their own estates, it will be a matter for serious consideration, how far other estates, not treated, can be allowed to remain as centres of infection, and be continual sources of danger and loss to adjoining estates.

To derive real permanent good from the application of remedies it is desirable not only to remove sources of infection on cultivated estates, but also to uproot all coffee trees in abandoned and semi-abandoned patches, in old native gardens, by road sides, and in all places where "nondescript" coffee trees are found growing in a half-wild state and not under careful cultivation. Many of the abandoned and semi-abandoned patches might be profitably planted up with useful timber trees, for in many instances the soil is still good and but little care and expenditure would be necessary to turn them into valuable and productive tracts of land. As one important feature in the present experiments, I have noticed that when even sickly coffee trees are released from the incubus of the leaf disease they soon recover their vitality, and appear as healthy and as strong as well-manured coffee. This leads me to believe that if the leaf disease could be effectually kept in check, there would be much less necessity, and especially in the newer districts, for the expensive application of manures which now obtains. No doubt, before leaf disease made its appearance, some estates in the older districts were in a poor and unproductive condition. These cannot now be renovated *at once* by the external application of remedies, but if the soil is not entirely washed away, and if the constitution of the trees is not gone, I believe many of these estates might with the application of sulphur and lime and careful cultivation be still rendered productive and remunerative.

In view of the results now in hand there can, however, be no doubt as to the effects of remedial measures on an ordinary, well-cultivated estate. By releasing the trees from a heavy drain upon their resources and by restoring them to their natural condition, the effects of manures already applied ought soon to be apparent; and if in the future it is thought desirable to manure such estates, there will, after the disease is kept in check, be a much more ready and lasting response on the part of the trees.

As evidence that planters are now generally disposed to accept the results of the late experiments as conclusive, I may mention that in spite of the depression which now exists in the Island, preparations are being made on a large scale for applying suitable remedies during the coming season. It is a source of great satisfaction to me to find that my services in connection with the late experiments have been appreciated by planters, and that they are giving Government credit for having materially contributed towards finding a successful means of checking the coffee leaf disease. In closing my report, I have to acknowledge much valuable assistance rendered me by the proprietors and superintendents of estates in the prosecution of my work; and to the gentlemen whose names are given in the accompanying list I am especially indebted. They have kindly acted as correspondents for their several districts, and, when necessary, have made most satisfactory arrangements for my visits.

DANIEL MORRIS, M. A., F. G. S.,

Assistant Director, Royal Botanic Gardens.
On special duty, Coffee Leaf Disease Inquiry.

THE following is a List of Gentlemen who have kindly acted as correspondents for the various Districts and taken part in experiments:—

J. L. Shand, Esq, Hatton, Dikoya.
George Shand, Esq., Ambagamuwa.
J. Irvine, Esq., Badulla.
W. Mackenzie, Esq., Dikoya.
G. H. D. Elphinstone, Esq., Dimbula.
Jas. Blackett, Esq., Dolosbage.
J. K. Ingleton, Esq., Dumbara.
R. J. Farquharson, Esq., Hantane.
A. Macphail, Esq., Haputale.
F. Taylor, Esq., Hewaheta.
B. Gray, Esq., Hunasgiriya.
A. T. Karslake, Esq., Kellebokka.
James Bisset, Esq., Kotmale.
T. Smith, Esq., Barnagalla.
Gabriel Ross, Esq., Hantane.
Ed. Woodhouse, Esq., Rambodá.
A. L. Elves, Esq, Wallaha.
J. D. Hardie, Esq., Lindula.
T. Stronach, Esq., St. Andrew's.
A. G. K. Borron, Esq., Knuckles.
J. Garioch, Esq., Madulsima.
W. Jardine, Esq., Maskeliya.
H. Fraser, Esq., Matale East.
W. Henderson, Esq., Matale West.
J. D. Ballardie, Esq, Maturata.
S. Shelley, Esq., Medamahanuwara.
R. J. Chippendall, Esq., Nilambe.
F. G. Carey, Esq., Pussellawa.
A. S. Reeves, Esq., Ramboda & Pundalu-oya.
R. P. Hector, Esq., Sabaragamuwa.
G. A. Dick, Esq., Uda Pussellawa.
T. N. Orchard, Esq., Matale.
J. F. Moir, Esq., Weygala.
A. H. Renton, Esq., Middleton.
J. N. Grant, Esq., Choisy.
H. S. Forsyth, Esq., Dimbula.
C. E. Welldon, Esq., Dikoya.
C. F. Walker, Esq., Dikoya.

No. 2.

Copy of a Letter addressed to the SECRETARY of the Planters' Association summarizing the Results of the late Experiments, Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya, 26th June, 1879.

At the late general meeting of the Planters' Association held in Kandy it will be remembered that I drew special attention to the advantages likely to arise from the use of flowers of sulphur combined with caustic coral lime as a specific for the coffee leaf disease. I mentioned that investigations were still being carried on with the view of thoroughly testing the efficacy of different mixtures of sulphur and lime, and that I hoped to report upon them later on.

I have now the pleasure of sending you, for the information of the Planters' Association, the following summary of results which have been obtained by a series of experiments in districts, varying sufficiently in climate, elevation and other circumstances, to make them representative of most of the coffee districts in the Island.

I may mention that in carrying on these experiments I have had the valuable assistance of gentlemen of considerable knowledge and experience in coffee culture, some of whom were specially appointed for the purpose by the Sub-Committee of the Planters' Association, and that the conclusions arrived at were severally submitted to their judgment and approval before they were recorded. I trust therefore that these conclusions will carry with them not only my own convictions, based on scientific observation, but also the weight of practical knowledge intimately acquainted with the resources and circumstances of coffee estates.

In the experiments which have been carried on during the last six months, careful and exhaustive trials have been given to most of the specifics which were believed likely to cure leaf disease, but so far nothing has been found to act so beneficially and to suit so well the necessities of coffee cultivation as an application of flowers of sulphur with certain proportions of caustic coral lime. In the earlier experiments, when sulphur alone was used, the expensive nature of the specific rendered it necessary that the powder be applied by means of sulphur blowers. It was also found desirable that dew or moisture be present in order that a sufficient quantity of the powder be attached to the under side of the coffee leaves to destroy effectually all the spores and filaments of the leaf disease. In experiments carried on in Dolosbage initiated by Mr. Blackett and Mr. Smith, it was found that by using a mixture composed of one part of flowers of sulphur and three parts of caustic coral lime effects were produced of the most satisfactory and conclusive nature, and further experiments in other places—*viz.*, at Rajawella with Mr. Ingleton, at Delta with Mr. Carey, at Helboda with Mr. De Caen, at Sheen with Mr. Reeves, at Rangboda with Mr. Gosset, and at Peradeniya with Mr. Ross—have confirmed the efficacy of this specific, and by these series of experiments the fact has been established that application by means of the blowers is not absolutely necessary, and that the mixture is so rapid and effective in its action that it can be applied at any time of the day and in any weather.

The cost of this treatment is believed to place it within reach of most estates. As an approximate estimate I may mention that with sulphur at 200 rupees per ton, the materials and cost of application are not expected to exceed at the rate of about 18 rupees or 20 rupees per acre.

Another important advantage gained is, that if dusting by hand is adopted, all the available labor on an estate can be utilized at one time, and when the disease is in a favorable condition for being treated, the mixture can be applied to the whole estate within a very short time. Taking into consideration that the treatment which I now recommend has been proved by careful experiments to be most effective in destroying the filaments by the leaf disease, that it is so well adapted to the labor supply and the special circumstances of coffee estates, and moreover that the material used contains so large a proportion of coral lime, so desirable an addition to most Ceylon soils, there is every reason to believe that this will prove the most valuable of all treatments for eradicating the coffee leaf disease.

The following hints and suggestions with regard to the materials and mode of application, &c., will, I trust, assist in placing the treatment in as practical a form as possible before planters.

Materials used.—The best qualities of flowers of sulphur have invariably been found most effective, and I would advise that it be brought with a guarantee as to per centage of sulphur. The lime should be "*unslaked*" coral lime in as fresh a state as possible. By "*unslaked*" coral lime I mean lime which has not been slaked by the addition of water. If well-burnt coral be kept a little time, it will slake of itself without the addition of water, and fall into powder. This it does by absorbing the moisture of the atmosphere, and unslaked coral lime sent up from Colombo generally reaches the estates in this condition. The important point is that the lime must be in a caustic state and able to absorb water to a considerable extent.

In mixing the sulphur and lime together, they can be mixed either by weight or by measure. A bushel of sulphur weighs about forty-three pounds and a bushel of coral lime about forty-five pounds. One hundred weight of sulphur mixed with three hundred weights of coral lime (about 7½ bushels) will be sufficient to treat an acre of coffee and allow about five ounces of the mixture for each tree. It is important to mix the two substances very intimately together. The object is to bring each grain of sulphur into actual contact with the grains of caustic lime; and considering the advantages to be gained, I would recommend that great attention be given to this matter, and that the sulphur and the lime be very carefully mixed together in the store some time before they are taken out into the field.

Should the price of sulphur be reduced so as to allow a larger proportion of it to be used, there is reason to believe that one part of sulphur to two parts of lime will give still more satisfactory results. Leaving out the cost of carriage, which varies for each district, I find that to treat an acre of coffee with a mixture of one part of sulphur to three parts of coral lime, according to present prices in Colombo, will cost as follows:—

1 cwt. flowers of sulphur	..	Rs.	10 00
3 cwts. unslaked coral lime	..	„	5 25
Cost of application by hand	..	„	1 25
Total cost..		Rs.	16 50

Mode of Application.—Where small areas only are treated the sulphur blowers may still be used, but it has been sufficiently proved by experiment that for large areas the mixture can be very effectively applied *by hand*, provided the coolies are carefully taught to send the powder *upwards* into the tree and to cover the stem and branches with a good coating of it. A sufficient quantity generally falls to the ground to disinfect the leaves and prunings, but when the trees are large and leafy it is advisable to instruct the coolies to give the ground one or two handfuls extra. In applying a mixture of this caustic nature by hand the question naturally arises—what effect will it have upon the coolies? I have applied the mixture by hand myself on several occasions without inconvenience, and Mr. Blackett, who has had considerable experience in the application of lime, informs me that in his opinion the application of sulphur and lime is not likely to give the coolies' hands much trouble. He says: "Their hands are very tough, and the mixing of the lime with sulphur takes away to a certain extent the caustic nature of the former, and, besides, we shall be applying the mixture mostly in *dry weather*, and by cautioning the coolies to keep their hands away from dew, if any, I do not think much harm can happen. I have used a great deal of lime during the last five years or more, sprinkling it upon the ground to be dug in, and I have not seen or heard of any bad effects on the coolies, although I invariably find them sprinkling it with their hands instead of doing so with the tin pots or cocoanut shells which I give them as measures." To this I can add that I have seen areas of fifty, sixty, and eighty acres respectively, which have been treated with powdered caustic lime at the rate of from ten to fifteen bushels per acre, and on inquiry I have found that, except in one or two instances, no ill effects whatever have happened to the coolies. If the mixture could be applied when there is dew or moisture present, more of the powder would remain on the leaves, and the effects would be proportionally greater, but I am quite satisfied that *if carefully applied*, even in the driest weather the mixture will well repay the cost incurred.

Season for applying the mixture.—The object of the application is to destroy the filaments of the disease when they exist as external growths upon the back and leaves. In this stage the disease is most easily attacked, and if thoroughly destroyed then the trees will derive at least a 12 months' immunity from leaf disease. If all the trees which have the disease upon them in a *chronic state* are destroyed, the *Hemileia* will then have an annual season of a more or less regular character. During the months of December, January and February the spores which have fallen to the ground or have been blown on to the other trees will have begun to germinate, and the filaments (or rootlets) which they send out will be growing at a great rate and spreading themselves over every part of the coffee tree. Advantage must be taken of this condition, before the filaments have entered the leaves, to apply the mixture above mentioned, and within a short time, if carefully applied, the trees and the ground will be thoroughly disinfected. As the disease in the filamentous stage requires a microscope to detect it, for practical purposes it is sufficient to know that the best time to apply the remedies is when there is no sign whatever of it apparent to the naked eye, before even a single *pin spot* has appeared or the smallest trace of the orange-colored dust.

Effects produced.—The grains of lime by their caustic nature appear to have an immediate effect upon the filaments of the disease. They completely destroy all the cells with which they come in contact, but as the filaments are built up of successive chains of cells, divided from each other by a septum or wall, the cells not in contact with the lime retain their vitality unimpaired, and, if not acted upon by some other agent, immediately proceed to produce fresh growths. I have satisfied myself by several careful experiments and by observations on estates where lime has been most carefully applied, that by means of lime alone, however abundantly applied, it is impossible to destroy the cells of these minute filaments, and on this account we are obliged to have recourse to some other agent. Now, flowers of sulphur completely answers the purpose in view. By gradually evolving *sulphurous acid gas* it bathes every part of these filaments in an atmosphere which experience has taught us is most deadly to all kinds of fungoid growths. The cells of the filaments which the lime has left intact are rapidly affected by the *nascent* fumes of the sulphur, and within a day or two after the application, if the filaments are carefully examined, they will be found to lie in shreds and shrivelled fragments scattered over the surface of the leaves and bark. In addition to the direct action of the lime upon the disease, I find that caustic lime tends to increase manifoldly the action of the sulphur, and renders it most efficacious in destroying the disease. It will be noticed that while the sulphur and lime are able to kill the spores as well as the filaments of the disease the mixture in the fine powdered condition in which it is now recommended is adapted more particularly for destroying the filaments only. As in the treatment of the hop disease, the present remedy is intended to act as a preventative, and save the trees from the enfeebling attacks of the fungus. If the disease has already entered the leaves and if the orange-colored sporangia are abundantly present, the application of the mixture will not then save the leaves; under such circumstances it is better to collect the leaves and burn them, or wait till they have fallen and treat them on the ground with a dressing of coral lime. Under certain circumstances, however, it may be desirable to apply the mixture at times when the disease has already shewn itself. For instance, at the present time (month of June) though the filaments have established themselves within the intercellular tissue of most of the leaves, there are yet some leaves at the ends of the branches upon which the filaments are still external. If the trees have a heavy crop upon them, it would well repay the cost to apply a good dressing of sulphur and lime to these leaves at once, and thus keep them on the trees till the crop is picked. In observing the general effects of sulphur and lime upon coffee, it has been noticed that the application is attended by a much more vigorous and healthy appearance of the trees and by a marked improvement in the color and texture of the foliage. These results lead me to believe that if the leaf disease could only be moderately kept in check there would be little need for the extensive application of manures which now obtains. At least one-half of the effects of the manures are lost, owing to the presence of leaf disease, and in addition the trees are placed in such an unnatural condition that many of them die from sheer exhaustion. Being an *external* parasite and not diffused in the juices of the coffee tree, the leaf disease must in the first instance be treated by *external* applications, and the history of all similar fungoid parasites leads us to look to sulphur and its compounds as the most effective remedies. In addition to the improvement in the general character of the sulphured trees, mentioned above, it has been noticed that on sulphured coffee the wood matures and comes into bearing much earlier than on unsulphured coffee, and that the crop is decidedly more abundant and has a much larger proportion of well-nourished leaves. I may add that Mr. W. D. Bosanquet, who has experimented with sulphur and lime with great success on Yoxford estate, Lindula, informs me that trees which had sulphur powdered over them shortly before blossoming, had set their crop far better than those which were unsulphured, and that this characteristic of sulphured trees was noticed on several estates belonging to Messrs. George Wall and Co. as well as on Yoxford.

Precautionary Measures.—I have already expressed my strong conviction that little good can be expected from remedial measures of any kind with regard to the coffee leaf disease unless great care is taken to prevent the disease finding an asylum on "shuck" and abandoned coffee. Every tree that is not a crop-bearer, and whose constitution is entirely gone, should be at once

taken up, and no tree should be allowed to be encroached upon or weakened by grass growing near it, and "nondescript" plants of every kind should be at once removed. When planters have adopted remedial measures on a large scale it is evident that some action will have to be taken to destroy the trees growing on abandoned estates and in old native gardens, for as long as these exist they are a continual source of danger to well-cultivated estates; but for the present, at least, there are so many centres of infection tacitly allowed to exist, even on well-cultivated estates, that the stamping out process as applied to other areas cannot in fairness be demanded. I am afraid that, so far, planters are not aware of the immense loss they sustain by allowing so many sickly trees to grow without let or hindrance in the neighbourhood of their best coffee. One severely diseased tree is sufficient to infect all the trees in its immediate neighbourhood, and many apparently good patches of coffee that have latterly almost died out have been more or less hastened to their decay by being continuously exposed to attacks of leaf disease. I may go further, and say that after a careful examination of many trees said to be suffering from root disease, I have come to the conclusion that root disease as well as the dying bark and withering branches is greatly owing to loss of health and energy brought on by repeated attacks of this same leaf disease. In fact, no part of the tree can be expected to be healthy when its very life blood is continually being taken up by an insidious and ever-exhausting parasite.

In summing up the results of the late experiments the following points seem established:—

1. That the coffee leaf disease is an organic fungoid growth present on the estates in some form or other all the year round.

2. That in districts effected by the S W. monsoon during the month of December and the early part of the year it is generally present as an external parasite in the form of long filamentous threads, which cover every part of the bark and leaves.

3. That while an external parasite and in the filamentous stage it is possible to destroy it most effectually, and by so doing to save the trees from the attacks of the fungus for at least one year.

4. That a mixture of flowers of sulphur and caustic coral lime dusted by hand into the trees has been found by experiment to be the most effective and suitable remedy which can be applied.

5. That the cost of the materials at present prices *in Colombo*, together with the cost of application, will not exceed at the rate of 16 rupees and 50 cents per acre.

6. That the application of sulphur and lime in the proportions recommended, by releasing the trees from a heavy drain upon their resources and restoring them to their natural condition, will be attended by a more profitable result than any expenditure upon artificial manures.

7. That in order to assist the means used for checking the leaf disease it is most important that planters unite in the application of remedies, and that they remove at once all sickly trees on their estates and those not likely to be crop-producers, and prevent by every means in their power the re-infection of good coffee.

8. That in order to secure perfect freedom from leaf disease it will no doubt be necessary to uproot all coffee trees on abandoned estates and old native gardens, and to take steps to prevent the disease from finding an asylum on any plants not under careful cultivation.

In concluding my report, I desire to express my thanks for the courtesy and kindness which I have everywhere received from proprietors and superintendents of estates while engaged in my present work. I have to acknowledge much valuable assistance in conducting experiments, and a cordiality and a sympathy which has rendered my work a pleasure. To the chairman and officers of the Planters' Association and members of the Sub-Committee I am especially indebted for the great assistance they have rendered me, and for the deep personal interest they have taken in the various experiments.

DANIEL MORRIS, M. A., F. G. S.,
Asstt. Director of the Royal Botanical Gardens,
On Special Duty, Leaf Disease Inquiry.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the General Department, (General),—dated 8th September 1879.

No. 4383—GENL. 872, DATED 4TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDERED that the enclosure of the above be re-printed in the *Mysore Gazette* and that these Proceedings be communicated to the Press and to the Presidents of the Coorg and Mysore Planters' Associations.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The President, Mysore Planters' Association.
" Do Coorg do do
" Editor, Bangalore Spectator.
" Do do Examiner.
" Compiler, Mysore Gazette.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home, Revenue and Agriculture Department (Public),—under date Simla, the 29th July 1879.

No. 37—1387-1404.

RESOLUTION.

FROM time to time petitions, or appeals, against the orders of local officers, removing or dismissing Government servants, reach the Government of India. Such appeals ordinarily are forwarded through, or are reported upon by, the Local Governments. And the Governor General in Council is glad to say that he very rarely indeed sees ground for thinking such removals hasty or unjust. The general rule of the service is that the authority who can appoint to a particular office has power to dismiss or remove from that office; and an appeal lies from an order of dismissal to the official superior of the officer who passes such order. Since the date of the order passed by the Court of Directors in 1851, no general instructions on the subject of dismissing public servants have been circulated by the Government of India. Local Governments have from time to time issued such orders; and copy of a recent circular of the North-Western Provinces Government on the subject is appended to this Resolution. His Excellency the Governor General in Council believes that the forbearance and consideration enjoined by the Honorable Court are usually exercised by public officers of all grades and departments; but at the same time he deems it advisable to republish those instructions with the following remarks:—

1. In order that a dismissed servant of Government may be able to exercise his right of appeal, it is obviously necessary that the charge against him, his defence, and the order thereon, should be reduced to writing. And this course, so far as the Governor General in Council is aware, is usually taken. In the case of public servants who are dismissed in consequence of facts or inferences elicited at a judicial trial, or in the case of persons who abscond with an accusation over their heads, this procedure may be unnecessary or impossible. But in all other cases of the dismissal of public servants, the charge against a public servant should be reduced to writing, his defence should be either taken in, or reduced to, writing, and the decision on such defence should also be in writing. In many cases (such for instance as that of a clerk at an outlying tahsil station) the officer who passes the order of dismissal may not be able to make the enquiry himself, and the proceedings leading to dismissal would be conducted by the superior officer on the spot. The record of such charge, defence and decision would then furnish sufficient information for, and should be submitted to, the superior officer or the Government to whom the dismissed servant may prefer an appeal.

2. In regard to the rules of conduct which should guide the relations of superior officers with their subordinates, the Governor General in Council fully concurs in the views expressed by the late Court of Directors in paragraphs 4 to 9 of their Despatch No. 42 of 1851, copies of which are appended to this Resolution.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution, with enclosures, be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, and to all Departments of the Government of India, for information.

(True Extract.)

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To—The Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the General Department, (General),—dated 8th September 1879.

No. 11A., dated Camp Lucknow, the 13th April 1877.

From—C. ROBERTSON, Esq., Offg. Secy. to Govt. of India, N.-W. P. and Oudh.

To—All Heads of Departments, Commissioners, and District Officers in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

IT has frequently been noticed by the Government in petitions from persons who have been degraded or deprived of their situations in the public service, that the petitioners have not had an opportunity of explaining their conduct, and of making their defence before being reduced or dismissed from their appointments. The Lieutenant-Governor and Chief Commissioner accordingly directs that in all cases of punishments, and especially in all cases of dismissal, the person concerned shall always be given a hearing before the final order is passed; and a formal proceeding, embodying the statements taken and the reasons of dismissal, shall invariably be recorded.

Extract, paragraphs 4 to 9, of a Despatch from the Honorable Court of Directors, No. 42, dated 6th August 1851.

PARA 4 In the letter from the Secretary to the Sudder Board of Revenue, North-Western Provinces, conveying the opinions of the Members of that Board, we notice the following passages :—

"It scarcely needs to be stated that Native officers are frequently dismissed from their situations, not for proved delinquency or any tangible matter or substantial charge, but in accordance with the opinions of their immediate superiors taken up against them sometimes hastily.

"A large portion of the public servants are under the absolute control of one officer, who has the absolute power of dismissal, and men are consequently often dismissed by caprice and also as a punishment.

"An officer often, too, dismisses a man merely as a punishment with the intention, frequently carried out, of re-appointing him.

"Further, the Native servants of Government are treated with a degree of hardship which stands in remarkable contrast to the conduct adopted towards Europeans or officers of mixed parentage.

"To such an extent does this severity prevail, that all prudent Natives resign when they perceive that their superiors do not regard them with favor. This state of things has the worst effect on our Native officers. It induces them to 'make hay while the sun shines,' and to add to the severity now used by pronouncing every man dismissed incapable of serving Government would only add to the evil.

"Once again, the Junior Member of the Board takes this opportunity to put on record his deliberate opinion that less caprice, less severity, less indignity in the treatment of Native servants of Government, is necessary if Government would be well served by them."

PARA 5. We confess we have perused these statements with pain and deep regret. If the treatment of Native officials by their Covenanted superiors be indeed generally of the harsh character here alleged, it is most discreditable to those Members of our Civil Service who have practised it.

PARA 6. But the rule we instructed you to introduce, in place of aggravating the evil, as is alleged, will in reality ameliorate the position of the Uncovenanted Servants. We would establish it as a principle that when persons are appointed to permanent situations in any Department they should not be dismissed upon light grounds. Fraud and dishonesty, continued and wilful negligence and all offences involving moral disgrace, meet with their appropriate punishment in dismissal, and our position is that in every case in which that punishment is inflicted upon just grounds the individual should be considered to be permanently excluded from Government employ. With regard, however, to the instances of arbitrary dismissal for slight reasons adverted to by the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, we can neither recognize their propriety nor see the advantage accruing to Government from the practice. It may be doubtful whether the punishment of temporary suspension under the name of dismissal "with the intention of re-appointment" has any beneficial operations as regards the supposed offender. But we cannot doubt that it must tend to impede the business of the office by raising fears in the minds of the other Native officials that the caprice of their superiors may inflict upon them the same penalty. We consider it more likely that Government will be well served if it is distinctly understood that probity and diligence are the conditions of continued employment than if the subordinates work in slavish dread of their official superior, knowing that his whim, prejudice or passion may at any hour eject them from their situations and reduce them to destitution. In our opinion, moreover, the knowledge that gross misconduct will altogether exclude from the service of Government, will operate as an additional inducement to the honest and attentive discharge of duty on the part of Native servants. If the offence which a subordinate may commit be considered by the chief of his office to merit severe punishment, though not the ultimate one of dismissal, the circumstances should be reported to higher authority, and if necessary to the Government for their judgment and decision.

PARA 7. The salutary tendency of the proposed rule will therefore be to make subordinates more faithful in the discharge of their duties, and superiors more cautious in inflicting punishment

upon those under their control. Necessary as it is that the power of dismissal should be vested in the Chiefs of Departments, it is equally desirable to check and, as far as may be practicable, to regulate that power. If evidence of this be required, the letter from the Agra Board of Revenue affords it, and we shall here further quote the sentiments of the Junior Member of that Board as a corroboration of the view which we are led to take of this question. He observes that since he has entered the service "the Government have done much to temper the arbitrary severity with which their Native officers are treated by their European fellow-servants, and they have in consequence materially increased the honesty and faithfulness of that deserving class of men, but more remains to be done and he doubts not will be done by degrees." We give due weight to the opinions to which we have adverted, and under the explanation we have now given we are not disposed to depart from our order of the 10th July 1850.

PARA 8. There is, however, a class of cases which does not come within the intention of our order, though erroneously considered in this light by the authorities in the North-Western Provinces, we mean cases of inaptitude for the particular branch of occupation to which a Native servant may have been originally appointed, as well as cases of physical incapacity. The latter must be treated according to rule, and with regard to the former we cannot but think that in the majority of cases the difficulty might be overcome by a re-adjustment of duties without recourse to the harsh steps of removal from office.

PARA 9. We would, in conclusion, express our hope that the notice we have taken of this subject will have the beneficial effect of inducing the exercise of greater forbearance and a more just consideration on the part of our Civil Servants towards the useful and deserving class of men placed in subordination to them. With respect to the most important class of those men, namely, those receiving salaries of above Rs. 10 a month, and to some of whom, under certain restrictions, pensions are granted upon retirement, we think that you might issue instructions that you should be kept advised of the dismissal of all individuals composing that class, and of the causes of their dismissal. This would afford an opportunity for enquiry into cases in which the cause might appear unsatisfactory or questionable which does not at present exist. Should any instances unfortunately occur to disappoint the expectation which we have expressed, that greater forbearance and justice will be exercised towards the Native servants, we desire to be invariably informed of them, whether they shall occur in the class above referred to or in any other, and we shall feel it to be our duty to visit such conduct with the expression of our severe displeasure.

No. 4444—GENL. 883, DATED 8TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—The foregoing Resolution and its enclosures are circulated for the information and guidance of all Heads of Offices.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner (and Inspector General of Jails.)
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Revenue Department.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Public Works Department.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Military Assistant to Chief Commissioner.
" Deputy Accountant General.
" Officer in charge Chief Commissioner's Treasury.
" Commissioners of Divisions.
" District and Sessions Judge, Nundydroog Division.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Survey and Settlement Commissioner.
" Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Mysore.
" Superintendent of Inam Settlements.
" Deputy Superintendent, Topographical Survey.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.
" Surgeon to the Mysore Commission.
" Inspector General of Registration.
" Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ashtagram Division.
" Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nundydroog Division.
" Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nagar Division.
" Assistant Commissioner in charge of Palace Department.
" Town and Cantonment Magistrate and Judge, Court of Small Causes.
" Director of Government Gardens.
" Superintendent, Government Museum.
" Anche Bakshi.
" Superintendent, Government Press.
" Compiler, Mysore Gazette.
" President, Municipal Commission.
" Superintendent of Coorg.
" Assistant Conservator of Forests, Coorg.
" Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Coorg.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the General Department, (General),—dated 10th September 1879.

READ—

Letter No. 1118—440, dated 21st June 1879, from the Judicial Commissioner to the Inspector General of Police, requesting that a report be submitted to the Chief Commissioner in regard to the robbery of certain jail clothing in December 1878, while *en route* from the Central Jail, Bangalore, to Hassan.

Letters Nos. 7 and 467, dated 12th and 31st August 1879, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District, to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Police Department, reporting on the robbery in question which appears to have taken place within the limits of his District.

No. 4577—C. 908, DATED CAMP MYSORE, 10TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—When supplies such as the clothing which in this case has been lost in transit between Bangalore and Hassan, are sent out for Government offices in the mofussil, the officer to whom they are sent should invariably make some arrangements for their safety on the road, either by deputing a trustworthy peon to accompany them, or by directing that their despatch be delayed until an opportunity occurs of their being sent with stores so accompanied.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner in Mysore.
" Dy. Accountant General in Mysore.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Superintendent, Central Jail, Bangalore.
" Do Mysore Jail.
" Do Shimoga do.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(JUDICIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner does not think that the rules for the reception and detention of lunatics in Asylums in Mysore should as suggested be altered.	1st Sep. 1879.	
2	The opinion of the Judicial Commissioner on the provisions of the Bill to provide for the holding of property by certain religious Congregations, was submitted to the Government of India, Legislative Department, with the Chief Commissioner's remarks.	Do do	24th July 1879, Part II, Judicial.
3	Copies of the Police Report for 1878 were distributed to heads of departments	2nd do	
4	A warrant for the surrender of one Ramaswami, accused of certain offences committed in the Shimivaspur Taluk, was forwarded to the District Magistrate of North Arcot.	Do do	
5	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar was informed that the warrant for the surrender of one Ramaswami, accused of certain offences committed in the Shimivaspur Taluk, has been forwarded to the District Magistrate of North Arcot.	Do do	
6	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the rules introducing the "Mark System" into the Jails of the Province are passed and will be gazetted.	4th do	14th July 1879, Part II, Judicial.
7	Copy of the rules introducing the "Mark System" of earning gratuities and remission of sentence into the Jails of the Mysore Province, was forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign Department, for information.	Do do	
8	A notification declaring that the rules under which long-term convicts who are employed as warders and work overseers, may earn gratuities and remission of sentence, are passed by the Chief Commissioner was gazetted.	Do do	
9	Copies of the report on Criminal Justice in British Burmah for the year 1878 were forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
10	A notification intimating that the hobli of Krishnarajkatte, Hansoge and Basavapatna of the Arkalgúd Taluk have been transferred from the civil and criminal jurisdiction of the Munsiff in the Húnsúr Sub-Division to that of the Munsiff of Narsipur—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
11	A notification defining the local criminal jurisdiction of the Munsiffs in the Hassan, Narsipur and Húnsúr Sub-Divisions, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
12	On the recommendation of the District Magistrate of Túmkúr, Mr. V. P. Madhava Rao, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, was appointed Public Prosecutor for the case or cases in which Tirumalachari, late Amildar of Kunigal, is being tried, and the Public Prosecutor of the Nundydroog Division was requested to submit through the District Magistrate an explanation of the grounds upon which he has withdrawn from the prosecution.	5th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
13	In reply to their petition, Appodasi Venkatappa and Narasaiya of Malvalli were informed that an appeal from a Magistrate's decision does not lie to the Chief Commissioner.	6th Sep. 1879.	
14	In reply to his petition, Siddaramaiya of Bangalore was informed that the Chief Commissioner can take no cognizance of appeals against decisions of the judicial courts in the Province.	Do do	
15	A notification investing S. Venkatvardaiengar, Munsiff, Challakere Sub-Division, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd Class and with certain additional powers was gazetted.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	8th do	
16	Two copies of the plans of each of the houses belonging to General Dobbs at Túmkúr and Devaraydurga were forwarded to the District Registrar, Bangalore, with a request that the deed of conveyance may be returned to this Office.	Do do	7th ultimo Part II, Genl.
17	A notification fixing the local jurisdiction of the courts of the Province was gazetted.	9th do	
18	A notification appointing Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Hay to be District Judge of Ashtagram and Lieutenant-Colonel T. G. Clarke to be District Judge of Nagar, and appointing certain officers as Subordinate Judges, was gazetted.	Do do	
19	A notification investing certain Subordinate Judges with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 500, was gazetted.	Do do	
20	A notification investing certain Munsiffs with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50, was gazetted.	Do do	
21	A notification appointing A. Coopoosamy Modaliar, Munsiff, Yelahanka Sub-Division, an Assistant Commissioner, 6th Class, and posting him to the charge of the Treasury at Kolar, was gazetted.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
22	In reply, copy of the Judicial Commissioner's letter regarding the bills to provide for the grant of probates of wills and letters of administration, was submitted to the Government of India, Legislative Department, with remarks.	11th do	17th July 1879, Part II, Judicial.
23	Returns of sick prisoners in the Jails of Mysore and Coorg for the month of June 1879 were submitted to the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.	12th do	
24	A notification appointing certain officers to be Munsiffs, under the new rules, of the courts shewn opposite their names was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	15th do	
25	A notification declaring that the Yelahanka Hobli of the Bangalore District is comprised within the local limits of the Yelahanka Munsiff and not within those of the Bangalore Munsiff, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
26	Four warrants for the surrender of certain individuals and stolen property were signed and forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bellary.	16th do	
27	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr was informed that the warrants for the surrender of certain individuals and property have been duly signed and forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bellary.	Do do	
28	A notification regarding the promotion and posting of certain Munsiffs consequent on the promotion of A. Coopoosawmy Modaliar to the Grade of Assistant Commissioner, was gazetted.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	17th do	9th instant, Part II, Judicial.
29	Under the circumstances represented, sanction was solicited of the Government of India, Foreign Department, to two sets of rules	Do do	1st October 1878, Part II, Fin.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	framed under sections 20 and 22 of Act VII of 1870, the "Court Fees Act."		
30	Under the circumstances represented, the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr was authorized to retain and instruct a special advocate for the purpose of conducting the appeal and other cases in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner arising out of the Sessions cases against Tirumalachari, late Amildar of Kunigal.	17th Sep. 1879.	5th instant Part II, Judl.
31	The notification of the Government of India, dated 3rd September 1879, extending to certain parts of the Province of Mysore, Madras Act VIII of 1878 (the Coffee Stealing Prevention Act,) was republished in the *Mysore Gazette*.	18th do	
32	As requested, a copy of the index to the 1st Volume of the *Indian Jurist* was forwarded to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
33	In reply, the District and Sessions Judge of Nundydroog was informed that the Index to the Indian Law Reports, Volume I, Bombay Series, will be found in the number for October 1877, Vol. II, Part X.	20th do	
34	With reference to the summons served upon Mr McPherson, a Clerk in this Office, requiring him to serve as an Assessor in the Sessions Court on the 25th instant, the District Magistrate of Bangalore was, for the reasons stated, requested to excuse his attendance.	22nd do	
35	In accordance with instructions, the returns of sick prisoners in the Jails of Mysore and Coorg for the month of July 1879 were submitted to the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.	Do do	
36	In reply, the Assistant Quarter-Master General, Mysore Division, was informed that owing to the urgent necessity of utilizing convict labor on works of special public utility in the Province, 100 prisoners cannot be detailed for metalling the road from Trinity church to the Agram Barracks.	24th do	
37	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that if hundred convicts can be spared, they may be transferred to the Mysore Jail for urgent work in that Town.	Do do	
38	A notification granting G. Raghunath Rao, Munsiff of the Closepet Sub-Division, an extension of one month's leave on medical certificate, and appointing Budan Sheriff, Clerk in the Judicial Commissioner's Office, to act as Munsiff of that Sub-Division during the absence of Raghunath Rao or until further orders, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	22nd ultimo, Part II, General.
39	A draft notification appointing the Judicial Commissioner to be Inspector General of Prisons was submitted to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.	Do do	
40	A notification appointing under Section 8 of Act XXVI of 1870, (the Prisons' Act), certain officers to be Superintendents and Medical Officers of the Jails in the Province, was gazetted, and copy Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
41	The Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press was requested to furnish this Office with 300 copies of the Madras Act VIII of 1878, (Coffee Stealing Prevention Act).	25th do	
42	A notification investing Mr S. Venkat Vardiengar, M. L., B. A., Subordinate Judge of Bangalore, with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 100 within the local limits of the Taluk of Bangalore, with the exception of the Town and Cantonment of that name, was gazetted, and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner with remarks	Do do	
43	A notice issued by the Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate of Bangalore regarding the sale of certain properties belonging to the proclaimed offender D. Sétu Rao, was forwarded to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in three successive issues of the Gazette.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
44	A notification granting E. C. Satchidanandam Pille, Munsiff of Chintamani, an extension of six weeks' leave on medical certificate, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	25th Sep. 1879.	23rd July 1879, Part II, General.
45	A notification investing Mr. Ramaswamaiengar, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Shimoga District, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class and with certain additional powers, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
46	A notification directing that the criminal jurisdiction of the Sessions Judge of Nundydroog in reference to proceedings against European British Subjects, be transferred to the Judicial Commissioner until further orders, was gazetted and copy sent to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
47	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that for those jails where accommodation is not now supplied for the Jailor, the Superintendent may be instructed to permit the Jailor to reside elsewhere than within the prison and to be absent a night.	26th do	
48	In reply to their petition Rangaiengar, Venkataramanaiya and other inhabitants of Channapatna were informed that the Chief Commissioner cannot consent to re-establishing a Magistrate's Court at Channapatna.	Do do	12th instant, Part II, Genl.
49	On the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkúr, Mr. E. Sidney Smith, Advocate, was appointed as the Public Prosecutor in respect of all enquiries, trials, appeals, applications for revision and any other judicial proceedings whatever connected with and arising out of the criminal cases against Tirumalachari, late Amildar of the Kunigal Taluk.—Communicated to Mr. Smith and to the Deputy Accountant General.	27th do	17th instant, Part II, Judl.
50	Three copies of a Report on Criminal and Civil Justice in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts for 1878, were forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
51	A petition from Chunnabasava Chetti and other inhabitants of the Koratagere Taluk was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkúr with a request that he will inform the petitioners that all the circumstances urged by them have due weight with the Chief Commissioner and the location of the Koratagere Munsiff's Court will be finally determined solely with consideration to the public convenience.	29th do	29th July 1879, Part II, General.
52	A petition from Tuljaji, a Mahratta retail shop-keeper in the Lakvalli Taluk of the Kadur District, complaining against the ill-treatment of him by the Police Inspector, was referred to the District Magistrate of Kadur for disposal.	Do do	
53	In reply to his petition, B. Srinivasaiengar, late a Police Inspector in the Bangalore District, was informed that the certificate which he requires to the effect that his antecedents do not, in the opinion of the Chief Commissioner, disqualify him for the honorable profession of a Pleader, is of an unusual character, and the circumstances of the case do not allow of it being granted.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(FINANCIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders
1	The letter from the Government of India, Public Works Department, dated 4th ultimo, regarding the grant of special remuneration to Civil Surgeons for medical aid to State Railway employés, was communicated to the Superintending Engineer in Mysore, the Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, and the Civil Surgeons of Mysore, Nagar and Hassan.	1st Sept. 1879.	
2	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 240 was forwarded to the Agent to the *Indian Jurist*, Madras, in adjustment of subscription for twelve copies of the *Jurist* from July 1879 to June 1880, with a request that twelve copies of the Digest for the years 1877 and 1878 may be supplied.	Do do	31st July 1879, Part II, Genl.
3	The Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was informed that the payment of a pension of Rs. 35 per mensem to Ram Rao, late Translator, Mysore Deputy Commissioner's Office, is sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
4	The letter of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated 14th August last, regarding the pay and travelling allowance of officers deputed on temporary duties, was communicated to the Secretaries in the Revenue and Public Works Departments.	Do do	
5	A bill for Rs. 1,742—13—3, being the value of a remittance to Messrs. De La Rue and Co., London, on account of stationery supplied to this Administration, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General with instructions.	2nd do	
6	On the submission of applications by the Director of Public Instruction, the payment of gratuities to certain individuals of the Educational Department, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
7	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of a pension of Rs. 7—11—0 per mensem to Narasappa, Shekdar of the Chikballapur Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
8	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 132 to Ira, Dalavet, Deputy Commissioner's Office, Mysore, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
9	On the submission of applications by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of gratuities to certain individuals was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
10	With reference to the statement received from the Revd P E. Barre at Shimoga, regarding certain orphan girls established by marriage, the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga was informed that the Chief Commissioner sanctions the payment of reasonable marriage expenses on account of the orphans, not exceeding Rs. 25 in each case, and that bills for the actual expenses may be sent in.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General, and Commissioner, Nagar Division.	3rd do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
11	Copy of letter from the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated 14th ultimo, regarding the grant of gratuities to Native officers and men of the Regiments of Barr, was forwarded to the Military Assistant with remarks.	4th Sept. 1879.	5th July 1879, Part II, F.
12	A memorandum stating that the establishment entertained in the Deputy Surgeon General's Office for compiling mortuary statistics and borne on the Chief Commissioner's Office establishment, is not affected by the orders recently passed revising the Chief Commissioner's establishments, was communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	5th do	
13	The payment of a gratuity of Rs. 192 to Timmaiya, Raktvan, late Nundydroog Division Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
14	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of a pension of Rs. 35 per mensem to Govind Rao, late Head Accountant of the Bangalore District Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
15	As requested, the sum of Rs. 15—2—7, being the amount recovered from Mr. Hay, doing duty in this Office, in adjustment of the advance made to him from the Shimoga District Treasury, was remitted to the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga.	6th do	
16	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 1,742—13—3 was forwarded to the Agent of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China at Madras, in adjustment of the cost of the bills for £ 143—8—5 furnished in favor of Messrs. De La Rue and Co., London.	Do do	
17	On the submission of a roll by the Military Assistant, the payment of a pension of Rs. 6 per mensem to Daffedar Shek Hasham of the 1st Regiment, Siledar Horse, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
18	Twenty-five copies of the report on the working of the Money Order Department in Mysore for 1878—79, and twenty of that on the working of the Indian Company's Act X of 1866 for the same period, were forwarded to the Controller, Money Order Office, and Registrar of Companies.	8th do	
19	On the submission of the roll by the Military Assistant, the payment of a pension of Rs. 3—8—0 per mensem to Siledar Santoji Yadho of the 3rd Regiment, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
20	Six copies of the reports on the working of the Money Order Department and of the Indian Company's Act X of 1866, both for the year 1878—79, were submitted to the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce.	Do do	
21	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of gratuities to three individuals belonging to the Police Force of his District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	9th do	
22	On the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga, the monthly allowance to begaris employed in escorting Anché runners in the Kavaledurga Taluk of the Shimoga District, was raised from Rs. 1—8—0 to 2—8—0.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th do	10th ultimo, Part II, Genl.
23	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar was informed of the receipt of a public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 5—12—11, being pay due to Abdul Razak, late Deputy Munshi and Accountant of the Judicial Department of the Kolar District Office, from 1st to 12th August 1879.	11th do	
24	On the submission of an application by the Judicial Commissioner, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs. 19—4—4 per mensem	12th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	to Mr. D. Welsh, late Bailiff of the Court of Small Causes at Bangalore, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
25	On the submission of an application by the Superintending Engineer, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs. 31—9—3 per mensem to Mr. J. H. Welsh, late District Surveyor, Túmkúr District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	12th Sept. 1879.	
26	The Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, was informed of the receipt of the public service transfer receipt, dated 4th instant, for Rs. 530—3—2, being the refund of the import duty paid by this Administration on stores received from England.	Do do	27th ultimo, Part II, F.
27	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of gratuities to certain individuals was sanctioner, and the Deputy Commissioner asked whether the two men Kamba Nayik and Ranga are recommended for retirement to make room for other and more qualified men whose places have been abolished during the recent revision of establishments.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
28	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr, the payment of a pension of Rs. 10 per mensem to Vasudevaiya, Shekdar of the Sira Taluk, and of Rs. 58 to P. Bhima Rao Pant, Amildar of the Koratagere Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	13th do	
29	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, the grant of a gratuity of Rs. 200 to Tippaya, Gollar, Hoskote Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
30	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan, the expenditure of Rs. 52—12—0 incurred in purchasing stationery for use in the Harankali Taluk during the famine, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
31	In reply, the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, was informed that the question of allowing Hospital Assistants mileage at four annas has been under consideration, and that rules on the subject will shortly issue.	Do do	
32	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that he is perfectly correct in his opinion that the taluk treasuries of Shimoga, Chikmagalur and Chitaldroog have not been abolished, but that owing to the withdrawal of the Barr guard, treasure is sent at the close of each day to the District Treasury.	Do do	
33	The mileage bill submitted by the District and Sessions Judge, Nundidroog Division, on account of his tour in the Kolar District during the month of August last, was duly countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.—Communicated to the District and Sessions Judge.	Do do	
34	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner Ashtagram Division, the payment of a pension of Rs. 18 per mensem to Sham Rao, late Sheristadar of the Periyapatna Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	16th do	
35	Certain explanations with reference to the payment of increased gratuities to the Non-commissioned Officers of the Barr Infantry, were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, in reply.	17th do	5th July 1879, Part II, F.
36	On the submission of applications by the Military Assistant, the payment of compensation gratuities to certain servants of the Mysore Barr, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
37	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that a sum of Rs. 38,880 has been allotted for the purchase of stationery during 1879—80.	19th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
38	On the explanation submitted by the Deputy Surgeon General, the payment of full gratuities to certain Police Peons, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General, and Deputy Commissioner of Kolar.	19th Sept. 1879.	
39	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur was informed that the payment of a gratuity of Rs. 57—8—3 to Police Peon Kaggolo of his District is sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	20th do	
40	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the mode of remitting money to Messrs. De La Rue and Co. of London, suggested by him has not commended itself to them, and that, under the circumstances, remittances may be made as heretofore.	Do do	15th July 1879, Part II, Gen.
41	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of compensation pensions to certain officials of his District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
42	The applications for pension and gratuity on behalf of Messrs. C. Robbins, W. Downes, and V. Nagalinga Modaliar of this Office, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for verification and report.	22nd do	
43	The Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated 8th instant, relative to the manner of dealing with soldered coins, was communicated to the Secretary in the Revenue Department for information.	Do do	
44	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 175 to Chimiya, Dulayet in the Mysore Deputy Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
45	An order continuing to Nur Bi, widow of Jovakir Khan, late Commandant of the 4th Battalion of Barr, in accordance with the spirit of the order of the 30th June 1868, the grant of Rs. 7 per mensem was passed and communicated to the Military Assistant and Deputy Accountant General.	23rd do	
46	At the request of the Judicial Commissioner, the re-appropriation of Rs. 500 from general savings to meet the expenses under the head hospital charges in the Tumkúr Jail, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
47	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of pensions and gratuities as specified to certain individuals belonging to his District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
48	On the submission of an application by the Military Assistant, the payment of a compensation gratuity of Rs. 90 to Bahudin Khan, Writer of the 3rd Regiment, Mysore Infantry, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
49	On the submission of an application by the Judicial Commissioner, the payment of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 480 to T. Srinivas Rao, late Head Clerk of the Central Jail Office, Bangalore, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
50	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of pensions to Narnappa, Shekdar in the Malur Taluk, and to Sitapatiya, Maramat Mutsaddi in the Shrinivaspur Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
51	The application for pension on behalf of Srinivasaiengar, Clerk in the Kolar District Office, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner, with a request that an explanation of his suspension and degradation may be submitted.	Do do	
52	As requested by the Reverend A. P. Riddett, the allotment of Rs. 450 from Mansion House Funds, as a final grant-in-aid for the	24th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Hassan Orphanage buildings, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
53	On the submission of an application by the Superintending Engineer, the payment of a compensation gratuity of Rs 224 to Ramakrishna, late Peon of the Chief Engineer's Office was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	24th Sept 1879.	
54	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the drawing of the pension granted to Mr. G Reynolds, now an inmate of the Lunatic Asylum at Madras, by his brother Mr I Reynolds, Head Clerk of the Kolar District Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	25th do	1st July 1879, Part II. F.
55	On the submission of an application by the Judicial Commissioner, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs. 11—2—2 per mensem to R Venkatsami Naidu, late Munshi of the Judicial Assistant Commissioner's Court, Bangalore, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
56	On the submission of an application by Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, the payment of a pension of Rs 6 per mensem to Rajappa, Vaccinator of the Arkalgúd Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
57	On the submission of an application by the Secretary in the Public Works Department, the payment of a gratuity of Rs 1000 to Mr. B. Kemp, late Surveyor in the Bangalore District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	26th do	
58	As requested by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the charges incurred in the purchase of stationery prior to the arrival of supplies for 1879—80, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	27th do	
59	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the charges incurred in the purchase of stationery prior to the arrival of supplies for 1879—80, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
60	An application for gratuity on behalf of an official of the Military Assistant's Office, named Tiruvangadachar, whose case does not appear to the Chief Commissioner to be provided for by the Pension Code as applicable to Mysore, was submitted with remarks to the Government of India in the Foreign Department for orders	29th do	
61	On the submission of applications by the Military Assistant, the payment of gratuities to certain Pakalis and Washermen of the Barr was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
62	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of a pension of Rs. 4—1—4 per *mensem* to Govinda Rao, Shekdar of Lakkur Hobli, Malur Taluk was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	
63	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of a compensation gratuity of Rs 720 to Mr A Corry, District Surveyor, Shimoga District was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General with instructions.	Do do	
64	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 4 137—12—7 submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, being the balance of Mansion House Funds, was acknowledged and forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury for realization and credit with the other balance of the Fund.	Do do	
65	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of a pension of Rs. 8—11—2 per mensem to Kavali Sinappa, late Poshkar of the Vastara Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
66	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 80 to Kalasa, late a Peon in the Jail of the Hassan District, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	29th Sept. 1879.	
67	Copy of letter from the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, regarding an apparent discrepancy in the statement of invalid pensions for the quarter ended 30th June 1879, was communicated to the Deputy Accountant General for amendment.	Do do	
68	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan, the payment of an invalid gratuity to Police Peons, Banga and Honna Nayk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	30th do	
69	On the representation of the Deputy Accountant General, the whole period from 8th July 1877 to 1st March 1878, during which Mr. B. J. Wouters, late Clerk in the Nundydroog Division Office, was out of employ owing to his suspension from office, was reckoned as passed under suspension, and a pension of Rs. 50 per mensem sanctioned to him.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	28th June 1879, Part II, Genl.
70	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of an invalid pension of Rs. 4—10—8 per mensem to Venkatsubbaiya, late Revenue Gumasta of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
71	On the submission of an application by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of a pension of Rs. 6—3—0 per mensem to Sinappa, late Gumasta of the Shimoga District Treasury, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
72	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of the arrears of pension due to the deceased Shamaya, late Sayer Manegar of the Sagar Taluk, from 1st July to 31st December 1878, to his heir, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
73	On the submission of applications by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of gratuities to certain individuals of his Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was informed that the nugget of gold referred to has been retained in the Museum at Bangalore, and that a public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 5 is forwarded in adjustment of its cost.	1st Sept. 1879	16th ultimo, Part II, Genl.
2	The Superintendent, Government Press, was informed that the requisition for another set of 50 books of manuscript receipt forms being struck off and transmitted to the Commissioner of Nagar, is cancelled.	Do do	21st ultimo, Part II, General.
3	In reply, the British Resident in Travancore and Cochin was informed that no keddah operations are now being carried out in Mysore, and that information regarding the treatment of very young elephants when captured may be obtained from Mr. Sanderson who is in charge of the keddahs at Decca in Bengal.	Do do	
4	In reply, six copies of a lithograph map of Mysore were forwarded to the Deputy Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, with the intimation that if maps of any other description are wanted they can be obtained from the Superintending Engineer in Mysore.	Do do	
5	The Resolution of the Government of India, Home, &c., Department, dated 9th ultimo, on the subject, and the prospectus of the Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880, were forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for re-publication.	3rd do	
6	In reply to their petition, Syed Hyder and three other Amins of the Closepet Munsiff's Court were informed that they may seek redress to their grievances at the hands of the Judge of the Court.	Do do	
7	A petition from Vyasarayachar and other second class pleaders of the Chikballapur Munsiff's Court was referred to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
8	With reference to the instructions of the Government of India, the Superintendent of Government Printing, Calcutta, was informed that copies of the bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Criminal Procedure are not required at present in Gazette form, but when the bill is passed into law an application will be made for 900 copies of the Act for distribution in the Province.	5th do	
9	The Agent of the Indian Jurist, Madras, was requested to furnish a copy of the Index to the 1st Vol. of the *Indian Jurist* together with a bill of cost.	Do do	
10	In reply to his petition, Gulam Mahomed Khan, late a Peshkar, was informed that the post for which he applies has been filled up.	Do do	
11	In reply to his petition, C. Ramaswami, Bangalore, was informed that the Chief Commissioner is anxious to reward all who did good service during the recent famine, but for the reasons stated, it is not possible to provide for him at present.	Do do	
12	A petition from Sivacharada Nanja, an Anche peon in Chamrajnagar, was referred to the Anche Bakshi for disposal.	Do do	
13	The Government of India was requested to return the enclosures of the memorial from Ibrahim Khan, late Killedar of the Yedatore Taluk in the Mysore District.	Do do	30th Jan. 1879, Part II, General.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
14	Two copies of the report on meteorology for 1878 were forwarded to the President of the Natural Gallery and Public Library at Victoria, Melbourne, Australia.	6th Sept. 1879.	
15	A petition from Nanjegauda of Aragalu, Arkalgúd Taluk, was referred to the Assistant Conservator of Coorg for disposal according to rules.	Do do	
16	In reply to their petition, certain inhabitants of the Town of Bangalore were informed that Government cannot fix the rate for selling grain.	Do do	
17	The Resolution of the Government of India, dated 14th August 1879, regarding the promotion of Assistant Conservators of Forests, was communicated to the Secretary in the Revenue Department and to the Assistant Conservator of Forests in Coorg.	Do do	
18	The Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed that there have been no casualties among the European Uncovenanted officers in Mysore and Coorg during the half year ending 30th June 1879.	Do do	
19	The Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed that no casualties among European pensioners residing in the Territories of Mysore and Coorg have occured during the half year ending 30th June 1879.	Do do	
20	A notice of the University of Madras requiring canditates to write their answer papers in the Vernacular of the question papers, was forwarded to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in three successive issues.	Do do	
21	The Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, was instructed to print 500 copies of the revised form of the medical certificate prescribed by the Government of India, and forward them to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, for distribution amongst the medical officers in the Province.—Communicated to the Deputy Surgeon General and Deputy Accountant General.	8th do	
22	Copy of the Resolution of the Government of India, dated 4th August 1879, together with copies of a Sanitary Primer for Indian Schools, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction with instructions.—Communicated to the Surgeon, Mysore Commission.	Do do	
23	A petition from Syed Ibrahim, late Daffedar of the Government Museum at Bangalore, was forwarded to the Superintendent for disposal.	Do do	
24	Five copies of an extract from the Deputy Surgeon General's report with the Chief Commissioner's review thereon relating to the meteorological observations recorded during the year 1878, were forwarded to the Government of India in the Home, Revenue and Agricultural Departments.	Do do	
25	The monthly tabular statement of vacancies and a register of effective and non-effective officers employed in Mysore and Coorg, with proportionate return for August 1879, were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	9th do	
26	A return shewing that no deaths have occurred among the European Uncovenanted officers employed in Mysore and Coorg during the month of July 1879 was submitted to the Government of India, Home Department.	Do do	
27	In reply, Mr. N. Krishna Rao, M. A., was informed that the Chief Commissioner does not expect to be able to confirm him as an Assistant Commissioner at present.	10th do	
28	In reply, the Assistant Superintendent, Government Telegraph, Bangalore Sub-Division, was informed that it is the ordinary and authorized form in Vernacular official correspondence to write the answer below and in continuation of the letter received, and that as	Do do	

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	regards the question whether the Amildar of the Nelamangala Taluk afforded that amount of assistance that he is required to give, the Deputy Commissioner will be requested to enquire and he will dispose also of the complaint made against the bungalow servants.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore.		
29	In reply, the opinion of the Judicial Commissioner was requested on certain points connected with the proposal from Mr. Lee to utilize convict labor within the Central Jail at Bangalore to prosecute the manufacture of woollen goods.	10th Sept. 1879.	
30	At the request of the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, V. R. Venkatachela Naidu, Hospital Assistant, was permitted to withdraw his application to retire from the service.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	25th April 1879, Part II, Genl.
31	A notification intimating that Mr. P. N. Krishna Murti, B. L., handed over and Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hill received charge of the Hassan District and Treasury on the forenoon of the 28th August 1879, was gazetted.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General, with cash balance statement.	11th do	
32	In reply, Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras, Agents to the Royal Insurance Company, were informed that the Chief Commissioner has come to the conclusion that no insurance of Government House should be effected, and that no further payments be made on the policy now existing.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	31st July 1879. Part II, General.
33	The stationery indent for 1879—80 was as requested, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, with a request that it may be eventually returned.	Do do	
34	The packing account of Mysore Funds Remittance Stores per *S. S. Nizam* dated 30th July 1879, was forwarded to the Surgeon to the Mysore Commission for signature and return to this Office if the articles referred to have been received.	Do do	
35	The packing account of Mysore Funds Remittance Stores per *S. S. Newcastle*, dated 16th July 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary in the Public Works Department for signature and return to this Office if the articles referred to have been received.	Do do	
36	A memorial from one P. Rama Rao, late a Clerk in the Judicial Commissioner's office, was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with remarks	12th do	
37	A petition from Rangaiengar, Venkataramanniya and other inhabitants of Channapatna was referred to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore for report.	Do do	
38	Orders relative to the making over to the Educational Department of the old Taluk Cutcherry at Kolar which had been lent to Miss Austey for a day-school in October 1877 were passed and communicated to the Director of Public Instruction, Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, Deputy Accountant General, and Miss Austey.	Do do	17th Oct. 1877, Part II, Edl.
39	A notification transferring Mr. C. Soob Rao, Assistant Commissioner at Mysore, to Kolar, as General Assistant Commissioner was gazetted.	13th do	
40	A notification intimating that Mr. S. B. Krishnaswamaiengar delivered over and Mr. P. N. Krishna Murti, B. L., received charge of the 2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court at Bangalore on the forenoon of the 8th instant was gazetted.	Do do	
41	In reply, the Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India, in charge of the Madras Party, Bangalore, was informed that no examination in Kanarese will be held until the 1st Monday in November, and that if it is convenient for Mr. Bryson to appear then, the Chief Commissioner will arrange for his being examined.	Do do	
42	The Military Assistant was requested to furnish the late Military Bakshi Mir Aminuddin with copies of certain papers produced by the *ex*-Subedar Syed Baker against him	15th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
43	A copy of the report of the Sanitary Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts for the year 1878 was forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.	16th Sept. 1879.	
44	In reply to his petition, Dinno Nauth Dey, Calcutta, was informed that the Chief Commissioner has no appointment to offer him.	Do do	
45	At the request of the Military Assistant, the price at which certain silk mixture tweed may be sold was reduced from Rs. 7½ to Rs. 5 per yard, and the consequent loss of Rs. 350—15—6 authorized to be written off the accounts.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
46	In reply, the Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, was informed that it appears that the late Sub-Overseer Ramappa was certified to as having undergone no suspension or degradation without the officers concerned having the necessary papers before them at the time, and that care should be taken in future that such certificates are given upon good grounds.	17th do	
47	In reply, the Superintendent, Government Museum, Bangalore, was requested to inform Daffedar Syed Ibrahim that as his unfitness for duty is certified to have been due to irregular habits, he is not entitled to gratuity under the rules.	18th do	9th instant, Part II, Genl.
48	In reply, the District and Sessions Judge, Nundydroog Division, was informed that the law books referred to have been forwarded to the Superintendent of the Government Press who has reported that they can be readily bound at his establishment.	19th do	
49	The duplicate packing account of stores per *S. S. Nizam* was duly signed and returned to the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, Madras.	Do do	
50	Instructions relative to the making up of woollen coats were conveyed to the Lady Superioress of the Industrial School, Bangalore.	20th do	
51	In reply, Mr. M. Srinivas Rao, late Assistant Commissioner, was informed that his memorial to the Secretary of State was forwarded to the Government of India on the 22nd August 1879.	22nd do	22nd ultimo, Part II, Genl.
52	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr was informed that the grant of one week's leave to Mr. Venkat Rao, Attaché, to proceed to Bangalore to appear for the Assistant's examination is approved.	Do do	
53	In reply, the District and Sessions Judge of Nundydroog was informed that the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr is being furnished with judicial forms and registers for the use of the courts in his District.	22rd do	
54	A notification intimating that Mr. P. N. Purnaiya, B. A., delivered over, and Mr. A. Coopoosawmy Modaliar received, charge of the Kolar District Treasury on the forenoon of the 18th instant was gazetted.	Do do	
55	With reference to his suggestion regarding the improvements in the Bowring Civil Hospital, the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, was requested to state which of them are in his opinion absolutely essential, as distinguished from being merely highly desirable, and to report what they will cost.	Do do	
56	Copies of the volume of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for the month of July 1879 were forwarded to the Government of India in the several Departments and to local Heads of Departments.	Do do	
57	A petition from Gorur Narasimhachar was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan for report.	Do do	
58	A notification granting Captain A. H. Macintire, Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, one month's leave of absence from such date as he may avail himself of it, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner.	24th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
59	A deed of conveyance of the houses and lands attached at Túmkúr and on the Devarayadurga recently purchased from General Dobbs, and two plans delineating the boundaries of the respective properties, were forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury for safe custody in the Treasury.	24th Sept. 1879.	
60	The Surgeon to the Mysore Commission was requested to medically examine peons Syed Biram and Kempa of this Office establishment and furnish them with certificates as to their fitness or otherwise for further service.	Do do	
61	In reply, Mr. Mahomed Husen Bituri, late Assistant Commissioner, was informed that the grant of privilege leave to him after he has retired from the service is inadmissible.	Do do	
62	An order relative to the retirement from the service of Mr. T. Vijayaraghavalu Naidu, Police Assistant Commissioner of Shimoga, was passed and communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, in reply.	25th do	
63	In reply, enquiries were made of the Director of Public Instruction regarding the cost of translating into Kanarese, Dr. Cuningham's Sanitary Primer, and the course adopted in Hubli Schools of supplying the pupils with books.	Do do	8th instant, Part II, Genl.
64	In reply, Dr. Henderson was informed that his proposal to dispose of the property of the late Famine Relief Hospital at Bangalore and to expend the balance of the Mansion House Funds in his hands on the paupers in the Pettah Civil Dispensary is approved.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
65	Orders relative to the disposal of Zi-ulla Husen Sar Khazi of Mysore, and the establishment of a central record room at Mysore, were communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	27th do	
66	On the receipt of a requisition of the Deputy Accountant General, Dharwar, that the Sheristadar of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, who [illegible] might be employed in making over charge on the 1st of October, be forthwith relieved and directed, as also the Cashier of the Treasury, to attend at Dharwar on the 29th instant.	29th do	
67	In reply to his petition, Sheristadar Chikka Vannu Pillai of the Civil Auditor's Office and Mysore, was informed that enquiries would be made into the qualifications and character of his son.	Do do	
68	Another petition from Mr. N. Krishna Rao, M.A., delivered over and Mr. N. B. Krishnaswamy received, charge of the Bangalore District Treasury on the afternoon of the 18th September 1879 was submitted.	Do do	
69	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore was informed that the report of the examination on the inspection of the Famine Orphanages in Bangalore for the quarter ending 31st July 1879 is on the whole satisfactory.	Do do	
70	In reply to his petition, B. Srinivasaiengar Amildar of Talkad, was informed that the reduction of Amildars is inevitable and his retirement on pension is no ground for disgrace, and under the circumstances, the Chief Commissioner is unable to interfere with a view to his retention.	Do do	
71	In reply, the Staff Veterinary Surgeon of the Madras Army, Ootacamund, was furnished with information regarding the breeding of mules.	Do do	13th June 1879, Part I, Genl.
72	The Surgeon to the Mysore Commission was requested to medically examine Mr. W. E. Downes, late a Clerk in the Record Department of this Office, and furnish a confidential certificate as to the normal prospects of life agreeably to section 105—5 of the Civil Pension Code.	30th do	
73	The order directing the convening of a committee composed of Mr. R. G. Hodson (President) and Captain E. P. Maltby and Mr.	Do do	13th instant, Part II, Genl.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	J. P. Garrett (members) for the purpose of examining Mr. A. H. Bryson, Assistant Surveyor of the Survey of India, in the Kanarese language according to the Higher Standard, was communicated to the Deputy Superintendent of the Survey of India, and to the officers composing the committee.		
74	A notification admitting as medical pupils from the 1st proximo, certain candidates who have been found, after a competitive examination, qualified and eligible for medical service, was gazetted.	30th Sept. 1879.	
75	The application for pension on behalf of Venkatnarnappa, late Shekdar of Totlakere in the Kovatagere Taluk, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkúr, with a request that remarks as to the character of the Shekdar be made, and an explanation of his reduction in 1862 furnished therein.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(MILITARY.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	With reference to a petition from Nurbi, widow of the late Commandant Javahir Khan, the Military Assistant was requested to report whether her son Abdul Razak is fit for employment in the Barr or likely soon to be fit.	11th Sept. 1879	
2	Copy of the return of the Mysore Silehar Horse for the month of August 1879, submitted by the Military Assistant, was forwarded to the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, for information.	19th do	
3	The Assistant Adjutant General, Mysore Division was requested to expedite the information as to the Military Force stationed in the Mysore Province during 1878—79, required for incorporation in the General Administration Report.	30th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30*th September* 1879.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM
Secretary.

MYSORE PROVINCE,

SEPTEMBER, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

J. D. GORDON, Esq., C. S. I., B. C. S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PART I, IN EXTENSO.

REVENUE.
FINANCIAL.
GENERAL.
EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

PART II, IN ABSTRACT.

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PART I.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(REVENUE.)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

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2	*Villages of Motabarlu in the Devanhalli Taluk and Dasabattanhalli in the Hoskote Taluk.* Directing that they may be regarded as defacto kayamgutta tenures and converted into such valid grants at enhanced rates of assessment.	No. 2765-76—Rev. 490, dated 5th Sept. 1879.	...	...	1 to 2
3	*Municipal Taxation.* Issuing instructions relative to the revision to some extent of—	No. 3362-73—Munl. 161, dated 27th Sept 1879.	...	No. 2827—Munl. 227, dated 26th Oct. 1877.	2 to 8
4	*Margin of land to be left waste on the sides of high roads.* Issuing instructions on the subject.	No. 3315-23—Rev. 563, dated 29th Sept. 1879.	...	...	8
5	*Tax on lime kilns.* Stating with reference to the enquiry of the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga District that it does not fall within the Circular Order of 1860, and directing that the proceeds of the tax which should be collected from the current year be credited to "Land Revenue, Miscellaneous" instead of to "Mohatarfa."	No. 3324-34—Rev. 564, dated 29th Sept. 1879.	...	No 2755—66 Rev. 487, dated 4th instant.	8

PART I.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(FINANCIAL.)

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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department, (Financial),—25th September 1879.

READ—

Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 2510—124 of the 28th August 1879.

Letter from the Deputy Accountant General of Mysore, No. 2823 of the 10th September 1879, submitting a statement shewing the receipts from the sale of building sites within Municipal limits credited to the deposit account up to the 31st March 1879 in the several Districts.

No. 3202-13—MUNL. 156, DATED 25TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—In forwarding extracts from the above statement, the Chief Commissioner observes that though the individual items of credit are generally less than Rs. 100, the aggregate of the same up to date in many cases far exceeds that limit. It will be undesirable in such cases to credit the amounts to the current income of the Municipalities. The Chief Commissioner therefore desires that arrangements may be made for their being at once employed on useful works in the respective Municipalities as it is desirable to remove them from the deposit accounts. Where the amount of the deposit of any Municipality is less than Rs. 100, it may be credited to its current income.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Commrs. of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" President, Municipal Commission, Bangalore.
" Deputy Accountant General.

PART I.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

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1	*Destruction of Snakes.* Reviews reports regarding the expenditure incurred by Municipalities, and in inviting greater attention to the subject, directs that the progress made be recorded in their annual reports.	No. 2784-95—Muni. 147, dated 6th Sept. 1879.	...	No. 10696—214, dated 17th Feb. 1879.	1
2	Directing that correspondence regarding Muzrayi matters be conducted in future in the English language.	No. 3223-32—Mis. 266.	...	...	2
3	*Resumption of inam lands or other public endowments attached to temples, &c., for failure on the part of the Managers to keep them up in proper condition.* Issuing instructions on the subject.	No. 3233-42—Rev. 544, dated 26th Sep. 1879.	...	...	2
4	Issuing further instructions regarding the preparation of mortuary and vaccination returns.	No. 3243-55—Muni. 157, dated 26th Sep. 1879.	...	No. 2139-50—Muni. 116, dated 16th Aug 1879.	3

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department. (General),—dated 6th September 1879.

READ AGAIN—

Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 10696—214, dated the 17th February 1879, directing that no rewards should be disbursed in future for snakes killed outside municipal limits, and calling for a report as to the rate of reward offered for the destruction of snakes and the expenditure incurred under this head in each Municipality.

READ the following reports received in reply to the above Proceedings:—

Letter from the President, Bangalore Cantonment municipal Commission, No. 350, dated the 12th May 1879.

Do do Bangalore Town Municipal Commission, No. 58, dated 16th May 1879.

Do Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, No. 3909, dated 25th March 1879.

Do do do Kolar District, No. 2776—1865, dated 31st March 1879

Do do do Túmkúr District, No. 106, dated 8th May 1879.

Do do do Mysore District, No. 2150, dated 22nd March 1879

Do do do Hassan District, No. 73, dated 15th April 1879

Do Commissioner, Nagar Division, No. 87—50, dated 24th April 1879.

Do Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, No. 21, dated 8th May 1879.

Do do Kadur, No 268, dated 10th May 1879.

Do do Chitaldroog, No. 70, dated 8th May 1879.

No. 2784-95—MUNL. 147, DATED BANGALORE, 6TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The destruction of snakes is a matter which must be left a good deal to the people themselves. Apathy or prejudice rather than want of rewards prevents greater progress being attained in the matter. The order of the 17th February 1879, No. 10696—214, accordingly directed the discontinuance of these rewards outside municipal limits, and it was hoped that by concentrating attention to the Municipalities which are now established in every important station in the Province, where the need for the destruction of these reptiles exists to a larger extent and where the measure is also likely to be better appreciated, more useful results would be obtained.

2. In the reports now received, the expenditure incurred under this head in the Bangalore Municipality is not given. In the town of Mysore alone, 84 snakes appear to have been destroyed during the year 1878, the rewards paid amounting to Rs. 41—4—0. In some of the Shimoga Municipalities, Rs. 14—12—0 appear to have been spent on the same account. Very little appears to have been done in the other Municipalities. The rates of reward offered generally are four annas for cobras and two for other snakes. Eight annas are given for large-sized cobras in some of the Municipalities.

3. The Chief Commissioner desires to draw the attention of all the Municipalities to the importance of the subject and to express his hope that they will in future give greater attention to it. The progress made in the destruction of snakes should be noted in their annual reports, stating the number of snakes destroyed and the expenditure incurred on account of the same. As some encouragement to the small Municipalities which do not enjoy the Mohatarfa and whose funds are otherwise limited, the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to sanction a moiety of the expenditure incurred by them for the destruction of snakes being annually reimbursed from the State revenues

C. RANGACHARLU.
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To—The Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions.
" President, Town and Cantonment Municipal Commissions, Bangalore.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Deputy Accountant General.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department, (General),—dated 26th September 1879.

No. 3223-32—Mis. 266, DATED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

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To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions.

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Shimoga Deputy Commissioner's Rubkari, No. 452, dated 10th August 1879.

No. 3233—42—REV. 544, DATED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—In the case of temples or other religious and charitable institutions in which the public are interested and which are not the private property of the Managers, even though originally founded by them, failure to keep up the institutions in proper condition should not lead to the resumption of their inams or other public endowments, but to the displacement of the Managers by others who are likely to conduct the institutions in an efficient manner, and such new Managers and the public interested should be called upon to repair the buildings and restore the institutions to a proper condition by means of the public endowments and private contributions where necessary. Any stoppage or reduction of sanctioned expenditure which may be unobjectionable may be sanctioned by the Deputy Commissioner, in view to the savings being appropriated towards the repair of the building. It is only where such arrangements could not be made for restoring the institution to an efficient state or where it is private property, that the inams and other endowments made to it by Government should be resumed for failure of service. Such final resumptions should only be made under the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

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C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, returning the papers received with his Rubkari.
" Deputy Commissioners of other Districts, with reference to para 1.
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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department. (General),—dated 26th September 1879.

READ—

Letter from the Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, No. 100-V, dated 11th September 1879, requesting instructions regarding Vaccination Returns.

No. 3243-55—MUNL. 157, DATED BANGALORE, 26TH SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—In the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings dated 16th August 1879, No. 2139-50—Ml. 116, it was not intended that the existing forms of mortuary and vaccination returns should in any way be modified, but that additional forms may be furnished supplying the information required. The latter, it was thought, could be easily prepared in the offices concerned from the statements of deaths now received which give all the necessary information. In fact, amongst the existing returns, there is one shewing the number of deaths according to age and sex, and another shewing the deaths under each head of disease. The additional return simply requires the deaths under each head of disease to be classified according to age and sex.

2. With regard to the vaccination returns, the existing form shews the successful cases under the different ages. What is required in the additional return is simply to classify the total number vaccinated similarly according to age,—in fact to shew under each head of age in the existing form, the number vaccinated, as well as the successful cases,—information which is obviously desirable and which it is believed could be furnished without difficulty by the vaccinators.

3. The Chief Commissioner leaves it to the Deputy Surgeon General to prescribe such forms of returns as are calculated to give the additional information. The Government of India, it will be seen, consider the information useful, though they do not direct any modifications in the existing returns. The Government orders specially refer to Municipalities only, but the Chief Commissioner considers that it will be useful to adopt the same forms for the whole Province.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Surgeon General, I. M. D
„ Surgeon to the Mysore Commission.
„ Commissioners of Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions.
„ Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
„ President, Town and Cantonment Municipal Commissions, Bangalore.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(REVENUE.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The Deputy Commissioners of Districts and the Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were requested to forward, in a form prescribed, the statistics of sugar cultivation for submission to the Government of India.	1st Sept.. 1879.	
2	The alienation of certain lands in the village of Singodanahalli in Narsipur Taluk for building purposes was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division and the Survey Superintendent.	2nd do	
3	Coffee pattas Nos. 9508 and 10069 were cancelled, and the lands attached thereto ordered to be sold by public auction; the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was further informed that if the pattadars or their representatives desired to hold the lands as hittals or on hasarvani tenure, they ought not to be interfered with.	Do do	
4	As proposed by the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, the weekly market at Anantapur was ordered to be held on Wednesdays instead of Tuesdays.	Do do	
5	In reply, the Superintendent of Inam Settlements was informed that the Beriz Jadti accounts of the Pavagada Taluk from 1800 to 1810 were not available in the records of this Office, and that if necessary the jamabandi statements of the Taluk from 1800 to 1810 would be sent to him.	Do do	
6	As requested by the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, the Huzur Jari Inamti accounts of the Tarikere Taluk were forwarded to him with a request to return them when no longer required, and he was informed that the Jari accounts of 1854 would be forwarded to him shortly.	Do do	
7	The free grant of the old Distillery enclosure at Kolar to Mr. Merritt and the sale of Yale Mallappa Chetti's Distillery in the same place, were approved, and the Siledars at Kolar were directed to occupy the vacant huts in the Barr lines.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, the Military Assistant, and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	19th Aug. 1879. Part II, Revenue.
8	A notification amending Bye-law No. 10 of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipality regarding the purchase or rental of ground belonging to the Municipality, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	Do do	
9	A petition received on the 11th August 1879 from Nagappa, Parpattegar of Champaka Ramaswamy temple at Ramergatta in Anekal Taluk, complaining of the irregularities committed by the Archak of the said temple, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	3rd do	
10	A petition, dated 18th June 1879, from Nanjaiya and other ryots of Mayagondanhalli in Kunigal Taluk, complaining of the interference of the Forest Department with their grazing land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District for disposal.	Do do	
11	A petition, dated 3rd instant, from Devappa of Ikkeri, Sagar Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
12	A petition, dated 3rd instant, from Ramaiya of Hosgundur in Ságar Taluk, for the remission of the increased rate of assessment on his land, and for the refund of the interest charged on arrears of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	3rd Sept. 1879.	
13	Copies of certain correspondence, regarding the payment of contribution by the Inamdars of Govinhalli in Chikmagalur Taluk towards the cost of improving the Govinhalli channel, were forwarded to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division with certain remarks.	Do do	7th Dec. 1878.
14	The Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was requested to submit early the Administration and Excise Reports for 1878—79.	Do do	
15	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was requested to submit early the Excise Report for 1878—79.	Do do	
16	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division and the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar were requested to submit early the particulars of the local cess statement, class X, No. 4, for the year 1878—79.	Do do	
17	A petition dated 28th June 1879, from Honnasetti and other inhabitants of bidadi, regarding their grazing land known as Gopalahalli Kadu, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
18	A petition dated 15th May 1879, from Shaha Budin Mahomed Saib Shatari, Jahagirdar of Benkipur, regarding the management of the property of Ata Ulla Sha Saib's Makkan, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for report.	Do do	
19	A petition dated 24th May 1879, from Shamanna of Channapatna in Closepet Taluk, soliciting favorable orders regarding a certain garden, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for report.	Do do	21st Sept. 1876.
20	A pseudonymous petition in the name of Chamarajesvara, &c., of Chamarajnagar dated 9th June 1879, complaining that no tax had been levied on the articles brought to the Tirakanambi fair, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for disposal.	Do do	
21	The season report for the week ending 30th August 1879 was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department.	Do do	
22	A petition dated 16th July 1879, from S. Timmaiya of Bosagunda in Ságar Taluk, for remission of the increased rate of assessment, and the refund of interest charged on arrears of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	
23	A petition dated 18th July 1879 from Karibasappa and other ryots of Barmanayakandurga in Hosdurga Taluk, soliciting orders to repair their village tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldrug District for adopting such measures as may be necessary.	Do do	
24	A petition dated 26th July 1879, from P. Lakshmaiya of Mulbagal, requesting that orders may be issued to repair the Nangali and Dodkere tanks, was forwarded to the Superintending Engineer in Mysore for disposal.	Do do	
25	A petition dated 14th July 1879, from Sitaramaiya and other ryots of Belur in Nagamangala Taluk, requesting that orders may be issued to grant them remission of assessment and to repair their tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for such consideration as the case may require.	Do do	
26	A petition dated 19th May 1879, from Guru Rao, and others of Siralkoppa, complaining of the inconvenience they had been put to in purchasing timber at the Siralkoppa Depôt, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for report.	Do do	

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27	A petition dated 22nd July 1879, from Venkataramaiya and others of Bammr in Ashtagram Taluk, requesting permission to have their own ferry for conveying their cattle across the Cauvery, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for report.	3rd Sept. 1879.	
28	A petition dated 9th June 1879, from Chaudri Nanjappa and other mutton butchers of Mysore, for the remission of the heavy taxes imposed upon them, was forwarded to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division for disposal.	Do do	
29	Two petitions dated 5th and 25th August 1879, respectively, from Lable Imam Sabi of Chikballapur, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, with a request to furnish information regarding certain points.	Do do	
30	A petition dated 12th July 1879, from Boralingegauda and Borappa of Maravanhalli in Channarayapatna Taluk, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
31	A petition dated 26th July 1879, from Dodda Bangegauda of Nagarahalli in Nagamangala Taluk, regarding certain lands, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
32	A petition dated 21st July 1879, from Marivappa of Tadagale in Sagar Taluk, for remission of the heavy assessment imposed on his lands by the Survey Department, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	
33	Orders were passed in the matter of the irrigation dispute between the villages of Hirichauti in Sorab Taluk and of Purakeradikoppa in Dharwar and communicated to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division	Do do	
34	A petition dated 26th August 1879, from Tirumale Anandam Pille, Aiyapatar Venkatachar of Marchanhalli in Closepet Taluk, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements for report, with a request to submit the late Maha Raja's sanand, dated 7th February 1840, and other records connected with the case.	4th do	
35	The statements of cotton cultivation submitted by the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division were returned to him, with a request to submit the Annual Report on cotton trade agreeably to Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No 3827—114 of the 6th September 1875	Do do	
36	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to report on the responsibility and liability of the officers who failed to collect the amount due by the toddy contractors of the Bankapur Taluk, to bear a share of the loss entailed on the Government.	Do do	18th Aug 1879. Part II, Revenue.
37	For reasons stated, it was pointed out to the officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department that it was undesirable at present for the Department to re-enter on the possession of the Hulkur Jah Kaval in Sira Taluk.—Communicated to the Survey Superintendent and the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District.	5th do	
38	In reply, the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was informed that no further report regarding manufacture and sale of arrack in the Mysore and Hassan Districts was required.	Do do	
39	The alienation of a certain land required for building a new village in Putapatti in Gummanayakanpalya Taluk and the grant of a certain waste land to the owners instead, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District and the Inam and Survey Superintendents	Do do	
40	The Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District was requested to report on the failure of the rayari crops in certain kattes in Kanakuppa Taluk, the tenure of the kattes, &c.	Do do	
41	A petition dated 2nd instant, from Nanja Boyi and Betta Boyi, Ferrymen, residing at Pannur in Ashtagram Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for report.	Do do	2nd instant, Part II, Revenue.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
42	A petition dated 29th August 1879, from Nanjundappa, Shanbhog of Kunduvarkere in Chikballapur Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for report.	5th Sept. 1879.	
43	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was informed that the transfer to the Yelandur Jahgir of the Government village of Santemarhalli could not be sanctioned, and that the Jahgirdar may propose some other waste site for the construction of a new village for the head-quarters of his Jahgir ; the Deputy Commissioner was directed to inquire whether the system of bitti or forced labor obtains to any extent in the Jahgir and report the result.	Do do	29th April 1879. Part II, Revenue.
44	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to report certain particulars regarding alienation of a piece of dry land to Mirza Mohadin Saib of Mugabalu in the Hoskote Taluk for building a house.	Do do	
45	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was requested to submit explanation regarding certain lands proposed to be granted to the Mysore Coffee Company in lieu of portions of their coffee plantations taken up for the Belur-Abragodagi Road.	Do do	
46	Coffee patta No. 8588 in the name of Vakil Mallari Rao for the Kusige Mane Jungle in Chikmagalur Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly signed by the Chief Commissioner.	6th do	
47	The sale by auction of the vacant site of Sarkar Haveli at Closepet was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
48	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was ordered to sell by public auction the Sarkar Haveli building at Sarjapur and report the result.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
49	A petition dated 2nd August 1879, from Sagathavalli Boreganda of Anekere in Channarayapatna Taluk, requesting to be exempted from the payment of assessment due by another person, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	9th do	
50	A petition from Channegauda and other patels of Lakkunda and other villages in Manjarabad Taluk, requesting to be exempted from the payment of the local cess till the remuneration due to them was sanctioned, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
51	A petition dated 30th July 1879, from Doddegauda and other patels of Hettur and certain other villages on the subject above referred to, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
52	A petition dated 8th August 1879, from Subba Bhatta of Perur residing at Bangalore, regarding a certain inam land, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements for disposal.	Do do	
53	A petition dated 1st August 1879, from Hedagur Setti of Huliyurdurga in Kunigal Taluk, for the remission of shop tax, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkur District for disposal.	Do do	
54	A petition dated 12th August 1879, from Ballur Krishna Rao of Yedatore for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore District for disposal.	Do do	
55	A petition dated 3rd August 1879, from Kalegauda and others of Haradanahalli in Yedatore Taluk, complaining of certain excess collections made by the Shanbhog of Belur Firka, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for disposal.	Do do	
56	A petition dated 10th August 1879, from Sitaramaiya and others of Honnenhalli in Nagamangala Taluk, for extension of time to pay the assessment due by them, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
57	A petition dated 8th August 1879, from Timmappa, Anche Mutsaddi at Huliyurdurga in Kunigal Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal.	9th Sep. 1879.	
58	A petition dated—July 1879, from Singade Narasaiya and other land-holders below the Hosakere Tank of Sidlagatta, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for disposal.	Do do	
59	A petition dated 5th August 1879 from Lingappaiya of Nonabanakere in Honnavalli Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal.	Do do	
60	A petition dated 29th July 1879, from Krishnappa of Yesavantpur, Kayamguttadar of Mattikere, regarding the waste weir of his village tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	Do do	
61	A petition dated 10th August 1879, from Narayan Rao and Subba Rao of Soman Hosahalli in Chikballapur Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for such consideration as the case may require.	Do do	
62	A petition dated—August 1879, from Imam Sha, inamdar and agent of the Makan near Bottur in Sidlagatta Taluk, for the restoration of certain inam lands, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for inquiry.	Do do	
63	A petition dated 9th August 1879, from Nanjappa of Siganahalli, Magadi Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
64	A petition dated 31st July 1879, from Venkatappa of Kengeri in Bangalore Taluk, for extension of time to pay the assessment due by him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for such consideration as the case may require.	Do do	
65	A petition dated 2nd August 1879, from Balaiya of Dolanahalli in Magadi Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
66	A petition dated 25th July 1879, from Adirajaiya of Sankigatta in Magadi Taluk, for the remission of the arrears of assessment due by him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
67	A petition dated 11th August 1879, from Krishnappa, Shanbhog of Basvanpur in Closepet Taluk, for the payment of compensation on account of his land which had been taken up for the Mysore State Railway, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
68	A petition dated 10th August 1879, from Sankaraiya of Kudur in Magadi Taluk, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
69	A petition dated 12th August 1879, from Bacha of Sivanhalli residing at Yelahanka in Bangalore Taluk, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
70	A petition dated 10th August 1879, from Sitamma, widow of Ramaswammiengar of Kariobanahalli in Bangalore Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
71	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to furnish information regarding the proposed grant of certain land to one Ramachar in exchange for a portion of his land in the Kayamgutta village of Honnenhalli in Bangalore Taluk submerged by the raising of the waste weir of the Government Tank of Singanhalli.	10th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
72	The season report for the week ending 6th instant was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	10th Sept. 1879.	
73	The Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed by telegraph that the Excise Act X of 1871 might be extended to Mysore from the 1st October 1879.	Do do	
74	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was informed that the orders conveyed in this Office docket No. 2588—456 of the 30th ultimo to the address of the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, regarding private rights in Amrut Mahal Kavals, applied only to talukas brought under survey settlement.	11th do	30th Aug. 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.
75	A petition dated 12th July 1879, from Venkatramappa and other Kodigidars of Nayakanhalli in Gudibanda Taluk, and a copy of docket No. 1007—284, dated 6th instant from the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, with a request to report under what circumstances the petitioners' kodigi lands were resumed.	Do do	
76	A petition dated 24th August 1879, from Kalasiddegauda and others of Bannur in Ashtagram Taluk, requesting permission to have their own ferries to cross the Cauvery, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for disposal.	12th do	
77	A petition dated 14th August 1879, from Dirasing, pensioned Jamadar of Kallakere in Honnavalli Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal.	Do do	25th Aug. 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.
78	A petition dated 5th August 1879, from Basava, Kulvadi of Hosur in Manjarabad Taluk, complaining that patel Puttegauda had been clandistinely holding a piece of land attached to Koda Matt, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
79	A petition dated 4th August 1879, from Chaluvaiya and others of Honnenahalli in Nagamangala Taluk, regarding the repairs of their village tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for report.	Do do	
80	A petition dated 15th July 1879, from Basappa and others of Baradavalli in Súgar Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	
81	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces, for the fortnight ending 31st August 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, Statistical Branch, Calcutta.	Do do	
82	A petition dated 1st August 1879, from Yarnal Narasimhaiya of Chikballapur, complaining of heavy rates imposed upon him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for disposal.	Do do	
83	A petition dated 6th August 1879, from Narasaiya, Shanbhog of Biranahalli, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal.	Do do	
84	A petition dated 1st August 1879, from Subbaiya and others holding lands below the Kallur Tank in Kadaba Taluk, soliciting orders to grant them remission of assessment and to stop the attachment and sale of their property, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal.	Do do	
85	A petition dated 10th August 1879, from Devappa of Ikkeri in Súgar Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	26th Aug. 1879. Part II, Rev.
	A petition dated 8th September 1879, from Naranappa of Manchanbele in Magadi Taluk, for extension of time to pay the assessment due	13th do	

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	by him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.		
87	A report was submitted to the Government of India as to the views entertained by the Mysore Coffee Planters' Association in regard to the substitution of an acreage rate of assessment on coffee lands for the present halat, &c.	16th Sept. 1879.	
88	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was requested to furnish further explanation regarding a piece of land in Gundlupet Taluk, alleged to belong to Bakshi Lingappa	Do do	23rd April 1879, Part II, R. A. & C.
89	The season report for the week ending 13th instant was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	17th do	
90	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to expedite the submission of the annual accounts, class VII, No. 2, and certain other returns.	Do do	
91	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District was informed that the statistics of sugar cane cultivation should be submitted as early as practicable	Do do	1st instant, Part II, R. A. & C.
92	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was informed that no allotment of the irrigation cess to each taluk, with reference to the actual amount realized, had yet been made, and that the repairs of tanks were being provided for in the Public Works Department out of general allotments for the whole Province.	18th do	
93	A copy of letter No. 797, dated 9th September 1879, from the Survey and Settlement Commissioner on the subject of cash payments to be made in lieu of land grants to inamdars in the Malnad who are not the Wargdars, was forwarded to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division for information.	Do do	
94	A remission of Rs. 40 in the contract amount of the katayi crops in the bed of the Junjivadi Tank, was sanctioned to be granted to Ramaswamaiengar of Attibele in Anekal Taluk.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	Do do	
95	Petition No 1915 of 1879—80, from Narasappa and others of Manchanbele in Magadi Taluk, soliciting orders to postpone the collection of arrears of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	13th instant, Part II, R. A. & C.
96	Petition No. 1914 of 1879—80, from Krishnappa of Kadahalli in Magadi Taluk, on the same subject, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
97	Certain observations were made on the Kanarese correspondence which had taken place between the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District and the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department, Húnsúr, and the former was requested to furnish certain particulars in connection with the Bordahal Kaval in Hassan Taluk, and the latter was informed of the same.	19th do	
98	Orders were passed in the case of petitioner Nanjundaiya, Shanbhog of Kandavarkere in Chikkallapur Taluk, to the effect that the Katayi Ijara amount paid by one Venkatsubbaiya should be refunded to him, and that the petitioner might be punished by a small fine if necessary.	Do do	5th instant, Part II, R. A. & C.
99	The Superintendent of Inam Settlements was requested to submit early a list of whole inam villages which had not been enfranchised as promised in his letter No. 58 of the 31st August 1876, and to include in it any whole villages which were hitherto borne on the inam accounts as such, but in which portions held on inam tenure had alone been confirmed as minor inams.	Do do	
100	A memo shewing the cases to which the figures 1 acre, 33 guntas 105½ yards and Rs. 6—12—10, shewn in this Office Proceedings No.	20th do	

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	1791—R. 34, dated 20th May 1879, as the extent and assessment of certain alienated lands, referred to, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District.		
101	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that the conditions of the toddy contract bond of the Chikmagalur Taluk must be conformed to, and that the terms of future contracts should be more carefully worded in accordance with some definite form.	20th Sept. 1879.	2nd June 1879, Part I, R. A. & C.
102	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, the re-opening of a weekly market at Yelahanka was sanctioned.	Do do	
103	The Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was requested to explain certain discrepancies in the muzrayi annual accounts for 1878—79 between his figures and those of the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
104	The Deputy Commissioners of Districts were requested to furnish as soon as practicable a statement shewing the annual collection realized under the several heads of mohatarfa separately for each Municipal Town and for the remainder of the District.	Do do	
105	The alienation of two pieces of land to be granted to certain individuals in lieu of their service inam lands submerged by the raising of the waste weir of the Betamangala Tank, was sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar District was requested to report upon what terms the kodigi inam land in Hulkur referred to by him was confirmed by the Inam Department.	22nd do	
106	The Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were informed that the concession granted to Sringeri Matt to erect and manage cattle pounds must be strictly confined to the Sringeri Jahgir and cannot be extended to isolated villages held by the Matt, and were directed to report what means of redress to the ryots existed in such Jahgirs against unauthorized impounding of cattle, and whether any reports are received to shew the annual realizations from fines and unclaimed cattle and their expenditure on public works within the Jahgirs.	23rd do	
107	The Honorary Secretary to the Mysore Planters' Association, Chikmagalur, was requested to erase the latter part of para 4 of the "Proposed terms for the settlement of coffee lands in Mysore on an acreage assessment" appended to the Chief Commissioner's Minute of the 8th July 1879, *viz*, "&c, but to be liable to 8 annas per acre if cultivated."	Do do	
108	Copies of this Office Circulars Nos. 4953—17, dated 2nd February 1866 and 3177—15, dated 25th September 1866, regarding the cultivation of the beds of tanks, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Mysore Revenue Survey.	Do do	
109	Certain papers connected with the kayamgutta village of Hunasemaradapadi in Chikballapur Taluk, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements.	Do do	
110	Statements Class I No. 2 shewing the average price of grains for the last four months in 1878 and for the first three months in 1879, were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, with a request to submit revised statements as directed in para 2 of this Office Proceedings No. 4911—R. 54, dated 24th September 1878.	Do do	
111	A copy of the Chief Commissioner's Minute, dated 8th July 1879; was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with a request to substitute it for the one submitted with this Office letter No. 3064—33 of the 16th instant.	24th do	
112	It having been found impossible to remove the breweries to the Saddar Distillery enclosures at Bangalore within the time fixed, the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to report what other arrangement he would recommend.	Do do	
113	Statements No. II, shewing the casual land revenue receipts of the Túmkúr District for May and June 1879, were returned to the Deputy	Do do	

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	Commissioner of the Túmkúr District with a request to explain certain discrepancies.		
114	Statement No. VI shewing the demand, collection and balance under the head "Local Cess" in the Hassan District for May 1879, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District with a request to explain certain discrepancies.	24th Sept. 1879.	
115	Two coffee pattas in the name of Mr. D. Meppen were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District with certain instructions.	Do do	
116	The statement of prices current of food grains for the fortnight ending 15th September 1879, was returned to the Superintendent of Coorg with a request to retransmit it after making certain corrections.	Do do	
117	The season report for the week ending 20th September 1879, was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
118	The Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore, Kolar and Túmkúr Districts, and the Deputy Accountant General were requested to issue instructions to allow arrack and toddy contractors to pay their khists once a month in the Taluk Treasuries of the Districts to which their contract relates and to present the receipts for the same to the District Treasuries.	25th do	
119	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that if Mr. Sanderson thought that the endorsement made on a certain coffee patta of his did not sufficiently indicate his rights, any other endorsement might be recommended, but that it was inconvenient to give more than one patta for the same estate, and that authenticated extracts from the registers might be given to any of the sub-sharers applying for the same.	Do do	
120	Coffee pattas Nos. 8576—105, 8577—106 and 8578—107 (in duplicate) were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner.	26th do	
121	Coffee patta No. 8486, dated 10th August 1876, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned, and he was informed that the excess land referred to by him was included in the patta.	Do do	
122	Coffee pattas Nos. 327 and 328 were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, together with the English and vernacular papers connected therewith.	Do do	
123	A copy of the coffee patta No. 109 of 22nd December 1865, granted to Bommeganda, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, together with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	Do do	
124	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that coffee patta No. 257, dated 16th January 1869, granted to Mr. R. H. Elliot for the Kallukanda Udvo jungle, had been cancelled and retained in this Office.	Do do	
125	Coffee patta No. 8575—104 (in duplicate) was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
126	Coffee pattas Nos. 8584—110 and 8585—111 (in duplicate) were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	Do do	
127	Coffee pattas Nos. 8586 and 8587 (in duplicate) were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	Do do	

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128	Coffee patta No. 8579—96 (in duplicate) was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	26th Sept. 1879.	
129	Coffee patta No. 8589—1224 (in duplicate) was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	Do do	
130	The attention of the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog was invited to this Office docket No. 2863—504, dated 10th September 1879, regarding the submission of the muzrayi annual accounts for 1878—79.	Do do	
131	A report was submitted to the Government of India on the Government right to minerals in lands under cultivation.	Do do	
132	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 15th September 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, &c., Calcutta.	Do do	
133	Three printed copies of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 15th August 1879, were forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, &c., Calcutta.	Do do	
134	Orders were passed on the petition of Ranganna and others of Tadasa in Shimoga Taluk to the effect that the penalty of four times the duty on a certain quantity of tobacco imposed on them by the late Deputy Commissioner should be remitted.	Do do	
135	Labbe Imam Saib of Chiklallapur was directed to pay up the arrears due by him, and a copy of the same was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District.	Do do	
136	The President of the Bangalore Town and Cantonment Municipal Commissions was requested to make arrangements from the 1st November 1879 for levying in the Municipality an octroi duty at the rates mentioned in Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 3362—73 Muni. 161 of the 1st idem, on fresh and dry cocoanuts and betel-leaves, to consider with the Municipal Commissioners the propriety of levying a license fee on carriages, horses, and other animals, and to report on the expediency of levying tolls on the traffic entering Municipal limits.	27th do	
137	A schedule of license fees to be levied in the Municipalities of the Bangalore Town and Cantonment from the 1st October next, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, with a request to send 50 copies in English and Kanarese to the Municipal President and 25 English copies to this Office.	Do do	
138	Proposals for simplifying the system of levying duty on cocoanuts, betel-leaves, tobacco, areca-nut and cardamoms in Mysore, were submitted to the Government of India for sanction.	Do do	
139	Explanation was submitted to the Government of India with reference to their remarks regarding the revenue of the Province for the past years and for the year 1879—80.	Do do	
140	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to submit certain particulars regarding the Nallur Amrayi in Devanhalli Taluk.	28th do	
141	The Inam Superintendent was requested to explain under what circumstances the village of Mallanahalli, Bauavar Taluk, had been enfranchised on ¾ quit-rent and to report what arrangements had been made to revise the settlement of kayamgutta villages in accordance with the instructions lately issued on the subject.	Do do	8th Aug. 1879, Part I, R. A. & C.
142	The Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was informed that the amount payable to the inamdars by the late toddy contractors of the Mysore District should be reduced in proportion to the amount of the remission granted to them.	Do do	

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143	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was informed that coffee patta No. 8562—2, dated 25th July 1861, was cancelled and retained in this Office.	29th Sept. 1879.	
144	Coffee patta No. 10499—2994 was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District duly signed by the Chief Commissioner, with the vernacular proceedings connected therewith.	Do do	
145	Twenty-four coffee pattas Nos. 10385 to 10408 were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
146	The Deputy Commissirner of the Kadur District was informed that coffee pattas Nos. 1329, 1378, 9365 and 9366, and No. 41, were cancelled and retained in this Office.	Do do	
147	Copy of a docket and three statements received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District regarding the balances of the muzrayi funds on the 1st March 1879, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for the verification of the figures.	Do do	
148	Letter No. 1673, dated 25th September 1879, from the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission on the subject of lowering the waste weir of the Ulsur Tank, was forwarded to the Secretary, Department Public Works, for early disposal.	Do do	
149	As requested by the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District, the contract bond executed by Venkat Rao, the late toddy contractor of the Hiriyur Taluk, was returned to him.	30th do	
150	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was informed that the question of compensation payable to Mailagauda and others for their kodigi lands submerged by the raising of the waste weir of the Betmangala Tank, should be submitted after the settlement of the tenure by the Inam Department.	Do do	22nd instant, Part II, Revenue.
151	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was directed not to make over Yele Mallappachatti's Distillery at Kolar to the purchaser until the Military Assistant inspected the building and determined whether it would be required for the siledars.	Do do	
152	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to furnish a copy of his letter No. 412 of the 13th August 1878, regarding the levy of jodi on partly relinquished inam lands.	Do do	
153	Two petitions dated 8th August and 20th September 1879, from Nanjundaiya of Marenahalli in Devanhalli Taluk, soliciting either remission of assessment or extension of time to pay the same, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
154	A petition dated 16th September 1879 from Kempanna of Chikballapur was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for report as to whether the petitioner had been charged mohatarfa tax for carrying on trade in a portion of his house in addition to house tax.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(FINANCIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The Judicial Assistant Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that T. Ranga Rao's pay was drawn and disbursed by the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District under instruction from the Deputy Accountant General.	2nd Sep. 1879.	
2	A moiety of the pay of J. Narasinga Rao of this Office for July 1879 amounting to Rs. 42—8—0, was forwarded to the Judicial Assistant Commissioner of the Bangalore District, with a request to send an acknowledgment for the same.	Do do	
3	Nine notifications of sanction for certain works to be carried out in the town of Mysore amounting to Rs. 1,315, were accepted,—Copy sent to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
4	A bill for Rs. 183—2—8 on account of the remuneration payable to the Ballodi village servants of the Davangere Taluk from the 1st April 1877 to the 31st March 1879, was sanctioned with certain remarks.	Do do	
5	A copy of letter No. 636, dated 17th May last, from the Government of India, Financial Department, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request to expedite the submission of a revised estimate for the current year.	Do do	10th Feb. 1879, Part II, Fin.
6	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 54 in favor of the Superintendent of the Bangalore Experimental Farm, received from the Amildar of Yedatore Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, with a request to draw the amount and credit it to the Farm account in the District Treasury.	Do do	
7	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that the recovery from certain officers of the rice money (Rs. 6—0—0) due to the widow of a military pensioner should be intimated to the Examiner, Pay Department, Madras.	Do do	30th April 1879.
8	A sum of Rs. 12—12—0 was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, with a request to forward a public service remittance transfer receipt in favor of the Manager, Athenæum and Daily News Office, Madras.	Do do	
9	Orders were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District and the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division to dispose of the old Chattram at Chinkurli and to construct a new one at a cost of Rs. 552.	Do do	
10	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was directed to dispense with the Harihar bridge toll establishment as soon as possible, and to lease out the collection of tolls to the highest bidder.	Do do	28th August 1878.
11	A sum of Rs. 100 was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request to forward a public service remittance transfer receipt in favor of Venkatachalaiya, son of the late Head Sheristadar Gopalaiya, at Madras.	Do do	
12	The payment of batta to the Assistant Commissioner Mr. Madhava Rao and his establishment for a halt made at Maddagiri from the 3rd to the 22nd May 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

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13	As submitted by the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, a bill for Rs. 157—10—0, payable to the Jahgirdar of Yelandur Taluk, on account of the value of court fees stamps used in his Jahgir during the quarter ending 31st March 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General with the bill.	2nd Sept. 1879.	
14	A bill for Rs. 109—5—0 payable to the Jahgirdar of Yelandur Taluk, on account of the value of court fees stamps used in his jahgir during the quarter ending 30th June 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General with the bill.	Do do	
15	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was informed that the excess expenditure of Rs. 30 incurred over the budget provision under "Head Office" in the Saklespur Municipality should be reimbursed to it from the funds of the other Municipalities, the mount meanwhile being shewn as an advance —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
16	The refund of an excess assessment of Rs. 2—0—10 to Venkatramanaiya, Hobli School Master of Kudiyanur in Malur Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, and to the Deputy Accountant General with the refund bill.	4th do	
17	A notification of sanction for Rs. 45 for repairing the chattram at Tambihalli, was accepted.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
18	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 100 on account of the scholarship due to him from April to August 1879, was forwarded to Venkatachalaiya, son of the late Head Sheristadar Gopalaiya, at Madras, with a request to send an acknowledgment	Do do	2nd instant, Part II, Financial.
19	A remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 12—12—0, on account of the charges for advertizing the sale of cattle belonging to the Bangalore Experimental Farm, was forwarded to the Manager of the Athenæum and Daily News, Madras, with a request to send an acknowledgment.	Do do	
20	A sum of Rs. 33—11—8 was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, with a request to send a public service remittance transfer receipt in favor of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.	Do do	
21	The Registrar of the Bangalore Court of Small Causes was informed that one-half of the salaries of certain officials of this Office amounting to Rs. 108—7—0 had been attached, was and requested to send the Nazar of the Court to receive the same. The Registrar was also informed that Mr. Cassin's pay had not been drawn as he was on leave and that Venkatachalaiya had retired from office.	Do do	
22	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that a sum of Rs. 12—12—0 had been remitted to the Manager of the Athenæum and Daily News Office, Madras, out of this Office contingent allowance, and was requested to draw the amount from the sale proceeds of the cattle of the Bangalore Experimental Farm and credit it to the District Treasury and forward the same to this Office for adjustment.	Do do	
23	The alienation of a certain piece of land selected for a European and Eurasian cemetry at Kolar and the payment to the owner of a compensation of Rs. 2—13—0 therefor, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, the Survey Superintendent, and the Deputy Accountant General.	5th do	
24	The mileage and batta bill of the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for July 1879 amounting to Rs. 27—14—7, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	6th do	
25	The batta bill of the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division amounting to Rs. 100 for August 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	Do do	

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26	As requested by the Deputy Accountant General, the last pay certificate of Ramaswami Naidu, Book-binder, late Nundydroog Division Office, was forwarded to him.	10th Sept. 1879.	
27	On the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, increased rate of pay at Rs. 50 per mensem was ordered to be given to Tirumalachar, Sheristadar of Kolar Taluk.	Do do	19th July 1879, Part II, Genl.
28	The batta bills of the Assistant Commissioner Mr. Vijayendra Rao for May, June and July 1879, were sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
29	The batta bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for August 1879 amounting to Rs. 65, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	Do do	
30	A public service remittance transfer receipt for the assessment due by D. Shamanna of this Office to the Koratagere Taluk, amounting to Rs. 33—11—8, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.		
31	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that the figures entered in the muzrayi accounts for 1878—79 under cash allowance paid by Government exceeded the budget provision, and was requested to furnish the information called for in this Office Rubkari No. 228, dated 28th May last, and to expedite the submission of the statement of puduvat funds.	Do do	
32	The writing off of a sum of Rs. 213—3—9 engaged to be paid by Guru Basetti and Hucha Virasetti for the performance of "Teppotsvam" in the Venkataramanaswami Temple at Malékal Tirupati from the muzra i puduvat accounts, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
33	Copies of letter No. 810, dated 6th instant, from the Superintendent of Mysore Revenue Survey, intimating the estimated amount on account of temporary remuneration payable to village officers in settled Taluks, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore, Kolar and Túmkúr Districts, with a request to make the necessary provision in the budget estimate for 1880—81.	11th do	
34	Copies of letter No. 797, dated 4th instant, from the Superintendent of Mysore Revenue Survey, intimating the estimated expenditure on account of the stationery required in connection with the Phutpahani, preparatory to the introduction of the Survey settlement in certain Taluks, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore and Túmkúr Districts, with a request to make the necessary provision in the budget estimate for 1880—81.	Do do	
35	The Collector of Benares was informed that the cost of the document to be executed by Chandrakant for closing a doorway in the Mysore Maha Raja's Chattram at Benares would be borne by the Mysore State, and was requested to have the same executed and intimate the cost to this Office.	Do do	
36	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was ordered to expend one-half of the surplus funds of the temple of Narasimhaswami at Gorur in restoring the institution, and to submit a regular estimate for the same.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	12th do	
37	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that the pay of the Municipal Clerk in the District Office amounting to Rs. 180 per annum should be distributed among the several Municipalities in the District.	13th do	
38	In connection with certain defalcations in the Koratagere Taluk Treasury, orders were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District to dismiss Gumasta Bhagavanta Rao and Shreff Narasimhaiya, to provide Gumasta Ramachandra Rao with an appointment not higher than the one he formerly held, to degrade Sheristadar	15th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Venkatkrishnaiya to the post of a Taluk Gumasta or Shekdar, deficit of Rs. 34 being recovered from him.		
39	The payment of compensation amounting to Rs. 1,138—7—10 to Patrappa and Jaffar Sabi for their lands taken up for the Lying-in-Hospital at Bangalore, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, the Deputy Accountant General, and the Secretary, Public Works Department.	15th Sept. 1879.	31st July Part II, Fin.
40	A bill for Rs. 125 for brass weights and measures for use in the Taluks of the Kolar District was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
41	The outlay of Rs. 18 for recasting a gharry used in the Kolar Taluk Cutcherry was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District and the Deputy Accountant General.	16th do	
42	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, two notifications of sanction for Rs. 190 for certain works to be carried out in the town of Shrinivaspur were accepted, and full appropriation sanctioned.—Copy sent to the Deputy Accountant General.	17th do	
43	A sum of Rs. 25 was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request to send to this Office a public service remittance transfer receipt in favor of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.	Do do	
44	The investment in Government Securities of the money recovered on account of the lost jewels of certain temples was approved unless the replacement of the jewels was absolutely necessary.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District.	18th do	
45	The payment of arrears of pension due to Sham Rao, late Mutsaddi in the Húnsúr Sandalkoti, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General, and the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ashtagram Division.	Do do	
46	The writing off of the balance of imprest money entrusted to Krishnappa, Shekdar of Muttodé Hobli in Hiriyur Taluk, amounting to Rs. 77—15—10, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, the Secretary, Public Works Department, the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
47	An estimate for Rs. 313 for repairing the Doddagumatésvara-swami's temple on the Sravanabelagola Hill in Channaraypatna Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, and the Deputy Accountant General.	19th do	
48	The Deputy Accountant General in Mysore was requested to forward at an early date the statement showing the income, expenditure and balance of Local Funds in Mysore for 1878—79.	Do do	
49	A revised batta bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for June 1879 amounting to Rs. 138, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	20th do	
50	The batta bill of the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, amounting to Rs. 13—7—1 for August 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	Do do	
51	Three mileage and batta bills received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for August 1879 amounting to Rs. 71—12—0, Rs. 42—8—0, Rs. 3—9—6 respectively, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	Do do	
52	Two bills received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for Rs. 31—9—10 and Rs. 4—12—0 respectively on account of the pay and mileage due to Krishnaswami Chetti, Treasurer, Bangalore District, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
53	A notification of sanction for Rs. 182 for extending a road in Kankanhalli, received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, was returned to him, and he was requested to resubmit the notification with a re-appropriation statement providing funds for the same, as the sum of Rs. 500 said to be available on the 1st instant would be required for the works provided for in the budget of the current year.	20th Sep. 1879.	
54	A notification of sanction for Rs. 23 for repairing the revetment of the channel close to the Kalvani in Kankanhalli, received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, was returned to him with a request to point out the source from which the charge can be met, as the provision of Rs. 50 made in the current year's budget had already been appropriated.	Do	
55	A re-appropriation of Rs. 60 from the head "IV—Land Revenue, Contingencies" of the Ashtagram Division Commissioner's Office to the head "IV—Abkari, cost of articles for preparing arrack," was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
56	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, sanction was given to meet the charge of Rs. 7 4—12—0 incurred on account of interring paupers in 1878—79 from the savings in the budget grants for that year.	21st	do
57	The payment of the ready money allowance of Rs. 10—15—0 due to Venkannachar, Jodidar of Sannapanahatti, on account of the temple of Agrahara Anjaneyaswami in Malur Taluk for the years 1876—77 to 1878—79, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
58	As requested by the Deputy Accountant General, Mr. Venkatachaliya's receipt for the Rs. 100 charged in the contingent bill of this Office for August 1879 on account of the scholarship paid to him, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	22nd	do	4th instant, Part II. Fnd.
59	The payment of a compensation of Rs. 272—12—0 for certain lands taken up for the Mysore State Railway in the village of Bargemuddanhalli in Bangalore Taluk, and an alienation statement for the same, were sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to report what reduction was to be made in the quit-rent on certain inam lands.	Do	do
60	A passed bill for the gratuity payable to Timmaiya, Raktavan of the late Nundydroog Division Office, amounting to Rs. 192, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District with a request to draw the amount and disburse it to him.—Copy sent to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do	do
61	A public service remittance transfer receipt for the sum of Rs. 25 overdrawn by Mr. Narayan Rao while acting as Munsiff of the Turuvekere Sub-Division in the month of February last, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District.—Copy sent to the Deputy Accountant General.	24th	do
62	An establishment of three peons and one mashalchi was provided for the Treasury Department of the Mysore District.	25th	do
63	Two bills submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District for the arrears of ready money allowances due to Chikmagalur Sitarama Shastri and Mysore Lakshminarayan Shastri amounting to Rs. 41—5—0 and Rs. 17—14—0 respectively, were sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	26th	do
64	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, a bill for Rs. 6—12—5 on account of transit pay due to Subba Rao, Sheristadar of Dodballapur, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General duly countersigned for audit, and another bill for Rs. 8 on account of pay due to Babji, Kotval of Yelahanka, for the month of February 1879, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for explanation of delay in submitting the same	Do	do

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
65	An estimate for Rs. 1,950 for partly filling up the Púrnaiya's reservoir at Bangalore and converting it into a Karanji, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	24th Sep. 1879.	30th June 1879, Part II, Genl.
66	The special establishment entertained for the collection of the saver duty on tobacco in Periyapatna Taluk, was ordered to be abolished.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
67	A renewed muzrayi stipend order in favor of one Mahomed Shek Budan, Khaji of Hagalavadi in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, for Rs. 0—9—7 per mensem, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.	Do do	
68	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, a statement of appropriation for Rs. 84—5—0 to meet the charges incurred in remitting treasure to the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
69	The disbursement of C. Venkatachalaiya's pay from the 16th May to 5th June 1879, during which period he was allowed to remain in the Nundydroog Division Office, as Maramat Head Accountant, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, the Deputy Accountant General and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	Do do	
70	As desired by the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, a supply of eight chairs and one cot to the travellers' bungalow at Hiriyur was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	25th do	
71	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was informed that accumulated rents of the lands attached to the chattram at Tambihalli, amounting to Rs. 53—4—0 referred to by him, should have been credited in the muzrayi account to the new head prescribed in para 1 of the Deputy Accountant General's Circular No. 1121, dated 6th June 1874 and not to "Muzrayi Surplus."—Copy sent to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	4th instant Part II, Final.
72	The Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was informed that for reasons stated, the arrears of ready money allowance amounting to Rs. 26—4—0 due to one Krishna Bhatta could not be paid to him, and a bill for the same received from the Deputy Commissioner was returned to him.	Do do	
73	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the allowances of the Honorable Colonel Anderson, as Survey and Inam Commissioner of Mysore, should be paid until specially directed to be discontinued.	30th do	31st July 1879, Part II, Final.
74	The writing off of an irrecoverable balance of Rs. 3—4—0 out of an advance drawn for summoning a witness to the Judicial Assistant Commissioner's Court at Shimoga in a small cause suit, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
75	The suspension of feeding expenses in the chattram at Channaraypatna for one month to meet estimate for Rs. 50 for repairing the same, was sanctioned.	Do do	
76	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that a bill for the advertisement charges amounting to Rs. 12-12-0 payable to the Athenæum and Daily News Office, Madras, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	4th instant, Part II, Final.

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Six applications for gratuity on behalf of certain servants attached to the 1st Assistant Superintendent's Office, Inam Department, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for verification and return.	2nd Sept. 1879.	
2	A notification stating that Gangaiya acted as Amildar of Koratagere Taluk from the 4th to the 7th August 1879, was forwarded to the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication.	Do do	
3	A statement of the services of Madhava Rao, Writer in the 2nd Regiment of Barr, was returned to the Military Assistant duly verified.	Do do	
4	In reply, the Registrar of the Bangalore Court of Small Causes was informed that Shek Hydar Saib, Dalayat, referred to by him, is not in this Office	Do do	
5	Four abstract statements showing the deaths registered in the Provinces of Mysore and Coorg during January and February 1879, were forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	Do do	
6	A notification appointing Mr. Mahomed Saliha as an additional Municipal Commissioner for the 4th Division of the Bangalore Cantonment, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, and a copy of the same sent to the Municipal President.	3rd do	
7	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that the misconduct of Lazarus Domingo, the Amildar of Koppa Taluk, might be taken into consideration in dealing with his claims to retention as an Amildar during the revision.	Do do	
8	A petition, dated 14th June 1879, from Dasappa, Nagadi Gumasta of Banavar Taluk, soliciting orders to grant him pension or gratuity, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District for early consideration and disposal.	Do do	
9	Two petitions, dated 5th and 22nd July 1879, respectively, from Subbarajaiya and others of Heggadedevankote, requesting that the taluk head-quarters may not be removed from Heggaddevankote to Antarsante, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for disposal.	Do do	
10	The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ashtagram Division, and the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nundydroog Division, were requested to state what arrangements could be made in regard to Forest Ranger Kalli Mullakhan, he having been recommended to be transferred from the Nagar Division by the medical authorities.	Do do	
11	A notification regarding certain appointments and transfers of Amildars was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	Do do	
12	A copy of letter No. 3706, dated 16th ultimo, from the Agent and Manager of the Madras Railway Company on the subject of a notice issued by the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission, requiring the removal of the aloe fence bounding the line	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	of the Railway within municipal limits, was forwarded to the President, with a request to report fully the circumstances under which the requisition was made and to abstain from taking any action in the matter until further orders.		
13	The enclosures of Rubkari No. 287, dated 18th June 1879, received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, regarding the repairs of the Benkipur chattram, were returned to him.	3rd Sept. 1879.	
14	A pseudonymous petition said to be from an inhabitant of Mysore, received on the 28th July 1879, complaining of the malpractices of "Subrayar, the Judicial Sheristadar of the Ashtagram Division," and certain others in connection with the revision of establishment in that Division, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for disposal.	Do do	
15	Two petitions dated 29th July and 9th August 1879, respectively, from B. Krishna Rao, late Forester, Closepet, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, with a request to report if the pay alleged to be due to petitioner had been disbursed to him.	Do do	
16	A petition, dated 10th July 1879, from A Narasimhachari and other Maramat Clerks and Accountants of the Ashtagram Division, regarding the payment of their salaries, was forwarded to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division for disposal. The petitioners were directed to be borne as supernumeraries if there is any prospect of providing for them in the revision of establishments.	Do do	
17	An anonymous petition said to be from the ryots of the Sagar Taluk, dated 2nd June 1879, complaining of the malpractices of Puttu Rao, the Peshkar of the Sagar Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	
18	A petition dated 15th June 1879, from Timmaiya and others of Hoskote Taluk, complaining of the corruption of the Amildar of the taluk was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
19	The proceedings of the ordinary meeting of the Bangalore Town Municipal Commission, dated 23rd August 1879, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, with a request to send 20 spare copies of the same to the Municipal President direct and 3 copies to this Office.	Do do	
20	An exchange of appointments between Gopalaiengar, Judicial Head Munshi of the Kolar District, and Narasing Rao, Head Munshi of the General Assistant Commissioner's Office, Tumkúr District, was sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioners of the Kolar and Túmkúr Districts were requested to issue the necessary instructions.	4th do	
21	A petition dated 5th instant from Mir Husen Ali, Sayer Daroga, Mysore, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for report.	9th do	
22	A petition, dated 4th August 1879, from Guru Rao, Nadig of Santebennur in Chanagiri Taluk, regarding the Shanbhogship of the Santebennur Magni. was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District for disposal.	Do do	
23	A petition dated 31st July 1879 from Venkatesaiya of Maralvadi in Kankanhalli Taluk, complaining of the Patel of that village, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	Do do	
24	A petition dated—August 1879, from Ramaiya of Channagatta in Kolar District, complaining of the bad conduct of Naramaiya, Shanbhog of Mudivadi and certain other villages, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for disposal.	Do do	
25	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to report on the misappropriation by the Pujari of jewels, &c., belonging to the temple of Bavinhalli Kariyamma in Hiriyur Taluk.	10th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders
26	A notice received from the Collector of Chingalput District was forwarded to the Superintending Engineer in Mysore, with a request that the same may be served on Venkatachalaiya, Calculator, Executive Engineer's Office, Bangalore, and returned to the Collector of Chingalput duly endorsed.	10th Sept. 1879.	
27	The enclosures of a letter from the Collector of Karnul regarding Narasimhacharlu, a deceased inamdar, were returned to him.	Do do	
28	A copy of this Office endorsement No. 5432, dated 5th March 1877, to Pattabhiramaiya, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, and he was informed that the records of the cases referred to by him had not been received in this Office.	11th do	5th August 1879, Part II, Genl.
29	A petition dated 8th August 1879, from Sham Bhatta and other servants of the temple of Sirigangadharesvara at Sivaganga in Kelamangala Taluk, protesting against the appointment of Bommappa as Parapattegar of the temple, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for disposal.	12th do	
30	A petition dated 28th July 1879 from Ramanujamma Narasimhachari and others of Melkote in Attikuppa Taluk, complaining against the servants of the temple at that place, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for disposal.	Do do	
31	Copies of the Indian Stamp Act I of 1879 were forwarded to the various Officers of the Mysore Commission.	Do do	
32	A copy of the Inam Superintendent's docket No. 77, dated 8th September 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request to embody the particulars contained therein regarding services of Daffedar Siddoji in his application for gratuity.	13th do	
33	A summons received from the District and Sessions Judge of the Nundydroog Division was returned to him duly served on V. Shanmuga Modaliar of this Office.	Do do	
34	As requested by the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, the Hukumnama issued by Tippu Sultan, received with Nundydroog Division Commissioner's docket No. 251, dated 22nd January 1873, was returned to him.	Do do	
35	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkur District was informed that the appointment of Syed Ahmed and others as 2nd Class Magistrates was intended only as a temporary measure during the famine, and that separate orders would be subsequently issued on the subject in the General Department of the Chief Commissioner's Office.	15th do	
36	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division and the other officers of the Mysore Commission were informed that for reasons stated, no examination of Amildars would be held this year.	Do do	
37	Orders were passed in the case of Venkata Rao, late toddy contractor of the Hiriyur Taluk, to the effect that he is clearly responsible for the whole of the losses resulting from the cancelment of the contract for non-payment of his khists, and that if the petitioner's circumstances require consideration in regard to the recovery of the balance due by him, the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District might submit a full report on the subject.	Do do	26th August 1879, Part II, R. A. C.
38	The Inam Superintendent was requested to explain under what circumstances the kodigi lands of Venkatappa, the jodidar of Hanumantapur in Kolar Taluk, were resumed.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District.	Do do	
39	On the explanation given by the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, orders were issued to him in connection with the raising of the waste weir of the Shrinivaspur Tank.—Communicated to the Secretary, Public Works Department.	16th do	19th August 1879, Part II, Revenue.
40	The Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press was requested to print and forward to this Office at an early date 1,000 copies of a slip to be placed in files of correspondence in the Record Department.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
41	A notification appointing Mr. Gibson as Municipal Executive Engineer for the Town of Bangalore, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.—Copy sent to the Municipal President.	16th Sept. 1879.	22nd August 1879, Part II, General.
42	As requested by the Deputy Accountant General, a copy of this Office docket No. 910—160, dated 12th June 1879, to the Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press, directing him to print and forward to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District 150 copies of the form of muzrayi monthly account, was forwarded to him.	17th do	
43	The season report for the week ending 13th September 1879, was telegraphed to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
44	The monthly form C shewing the deaths and births registered in the Province of Mysore during the months of March and April 1879, submitted by the Deputy Surgeon General, were returned to him with certain corrections, and the submission of revised statements was requested.	Do do	
45	As requested by the Deputy Accountant General, a copy of this Office docket No. 1103—Mis. 27, dated 14th July 1879, to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, regarding the allowance due to Venkatkrishnaiya, Sheristadar of Attikuppa Taluk, was forwarded to him.	Do do	
46	With a view to prevent delay in the collections of revenue and in the jumabandi settlements, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to submit at once his proposals in regard to the Amildars and other superior officers of the three Districts and in the Division Office, without waiting for the revision of establishments in other respects.	Do do	
47	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was informed that the grant of six weeks' privilege leave from the 10th instant to Mr J. G North was approved, and that the arrangements sanctioned in connection with Mr. North's appointment as Amildar may take effect after his return from leave.	Do do	
48	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that Shama Rao, the Revenue Gumasta of the Devanhalli Taluk, had been directed to return to duty.	Do do	
49	Certain ryots of Kudlur in Anekal Taluk having complained that they were forced to work without remuneration in the Government plantation attached to their village, orders were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District to warn the Amildar on the subject, and to issue instructions to all the Amildars prohibiting the exaction of forced labor except in cases of public emergency provided for by law or special orders.	18th do	
50	A petition dated 6th August 1879 from Linga Nayik, a late peon of the sandal [illegible] at Shimoga, complaining of his dismissal, was forwarded to the Assistant Conservator of Forests for disposal by endorsement.	Do do	
51	An application for gratuity on behalf of peon Shek Badan was returned to the Deputy Accountant General with the required certificate.	20th do	
52	An application for gratuity on behalf of J. Ranga Nayik, Dalayat in the late Nundidroog Division Office, together with the medical and service certificates, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for verification and return.	Do do	
53	The Deputy Commissioners of Districts and other superior officers of the Administration acquainted with English were requested to correspond in English when communicating with English Officers in other Departments.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
54	As requested by the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, 50 printed forms of Muzrayi stipend orders were forwarded to him.	22nd Sept 1879	
55	Narasanna, Amildar of Banavar Taluk, having returned to duty on the 5th instant from the 3 months' privilege leave granted to him from the 22nd June last, a notification cancelling the unexpired portion of the leave, *viz*, 17 days, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.—Copy sent to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division.	Do do	
56	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that a docket of his, dated—April 1878, forwarding a map of Anantapur Taluk, was not received in this Office.	24th do	
57	The Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press was requested to print and forward to this Office at an early date 50 copies of the "Travellers' Bungalow (visitors and fee) Books."	25th do	
58	A copy of docket No. 2022 of 18th September 1879 from the Deputy Accountant, General was forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements, with a request to attach certificates in the form therein required to the applications for gratuity received with the Inam Superintendent's docket No. 72, dated 26th August 1879, and re-transmit the same to the Deputy Accountant General direct.	Do do	
59	An advertisement regarding the vacancy of the post of Overseer in the Shimoga Municipality on a salary of Rs. 25 per mensem, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette, with a request to publish the same in three issues of the Gazette.	26th do	
60	The Compiler of the Mysore Gazette was requested to publish in the Gazette the Excise Act X of 1871 with the Government of India Notification No. 251 I. J., dated 12th September 1879, to supply 250 copies of the Act to this Office and also to arrange for the translation of the Act and the Notification, and submit the same to this Office for approval.	28th do	
61	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to provide establishments for two Assistant Commissioners for the Kadur and Chitaldroog Districts, respectively, and informed that a third Assistant Commissioner with his establishment would be transferred from the Hassan District to the Kadur District in the event of the transfer of the Manjarabad and Belur Taluks to the Kadur District.	Do do	
62	Govindarajula Naidu, Amildar of the Chamrajnagar Taluk, having returned to duty and taken charge of the Mulbagal Taluk in Kolar District on the afternoon of the 22nd September 1879, a notification cancelling the unexpired portion, *viz*. from the 23rd idem of the 2 months and 8 days' sick leave granted to him, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	29th do	20th August 1879, Part II, General
63	A copy of para 3 of the Inam Superintendent's letter No. 83, dated 20th September 1879, requesting that the pension roll of Sripati Rao and the gratuity roll of certain others of the Inam Assistant's office might be expedited, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, General Department.	do	
64	As requested by the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, the original enclosures of his docket No. 274—97, dated 17th July last, regarding the recovery of the arrears of the toddy contract of the Banavar Taluk, were returned to him.	do	4th instant, Part II, Revenue.
65	A compensation statement for the lands taken up for the Bangalore Pettah Railway Station, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for explanation and revision together with certain other papers.		

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(EDUCATIONAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Copy of letter No. 622, dated 27th August 1879 from the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, stating that a provision of Rs. 100 has been made for educational purposes in the Tasdik Patti of the Sravanbelagola Matt, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction with a request to submit an early report on the subject.	2nd Sept. 1879.	4th Aug. 1879, Edl.
2	Two bills for £ 12—8—11 and Rs. 7—14—8, respectively, on account of certain school books purchased from Mr. John Gladding of London, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	10th do	
3	The discontinuance of the Government grant-in-aid to the Sanskrit school at Sravanbelagola was approved, and orders issued to continue the grant of Rs. 100 provided in the Tasdik Patti of the Matt so long as the school was properly maintained.	12th do	2nd instant, Part II, Edl.
4	In reply, the Director of Public Instruction was informed that Mr. Dunning, late Assistant Master of the Shimoga High School, having had only 12 years and 5 months' service in this Province, could not come under the special pension rules sanctioned in connection with the reduction of establishments, and was requested to report whether some appointment permanent or acting cannot be at once found for him though on lower pay in order that he might not lose the benefit of his former service. Enclosures were returned.	25th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

COORG PROVINCE.

SEPTEMBER, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

J. D. GORDON, Esq., C. S. I., B. C. S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

PART I—A, IN EXTENSO.

JUDICIAL.—*Nil.*
REV. AG. & COM.
FINANCIAL.—*Nil*
GENERAL.—*Nil.*
EDUCATIONAL.

PART II—B, IN ABSTRACT

JUDICIAL.
REV. AG. & COM.
FINANCIAL.
GENERAL.
EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

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PART I.

A.

REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, 2nd September 1879.

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Letter No. 345—43, dated 9th August 1879, from the Superintendent of Coorg, forwarding and reporting upon a memorial from Kupandra Subbaiya, regarding the Mattadakadu báne in Ammattinad of Yedenalknad Taluk.

No. 567—REV. 19, DATED 2ND SEPTEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—The retention by K. Subbaiya of the Mattadakadu báne has been objected to on two distinct grounds, first, that the báne was allotted by the Parpattegar before the land had been measured, assessed, cultivated or paid for, contrary to the rules which require that the Superintendent should allot báne, and that it should only be allotted after the paddy land has been cultivated; secondly, that the báne was much in excess of what should ever in any case have been allotted.

2. With regard to the second reason, on which principally action was taken, it now seems that the land which was estimated to contain 250 battis is really 853½, the báne allotted, which is estimated to be 50 acres in two plots of 30 and 20 each, (which do not aggregate 70 as para 5 of the Superintendent's letter has it), is not more than is usually given to that extent of paddy land.

3. The Superintendent is now requested to specify distinctly the Revenue rules to which he alludes, which require the Superintendent's authority for the allotment of báne, and forbid its being given out until the land has been cultivated.

4. The land it is said was bought in 1875, and it was necessary to measure and assess it before it could be cultivated; the Superintendent is requested therefore to explain why this has been so long delayed.

5. If it is the fact as appears from this case, that paddy land can be and is taken up merely to obtain thereby a coffee estate free of assessment, and if the present rules are insufficient to prevent this, the Superintendent is requested to favor the Chief Commissioner with his opinion as to what orders are necessary for the prevention of such a state of affairs in the future. Supposing the ryots' rights in báne attached to existing wargs, rights which accrued long before coffee cultivation was thought of, when jungle land was of no value and the danger of de-arborizing the hills was remote, are such that it is difficult or impossible to prevent their diverting the báne land from the purposes for which it is assigned, there is no reason why waste paddy land given out for cultivation now should carry with it such an indefinite and dangerous privilege.

6. It must be distinctly understood then that cultivation of coffee in báne attached to paddy land which may be given out for cultivation after this date, is absolutely prohibited.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Superintendent of Coorg.

PART I.

A.

EDUCATIONAL.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

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From the Officiating Director of Public Instruction, Coorg, To the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, No. 2155, dated Bangalore, 27th August 1879.

I have the honor to submit for the consideration of the Chief Commissioner a proposal for adding to the strength of the teaching staff of the Mercara High School, pointing out at the same time how the expenditure may be met.

2. The necessity for an additional master has arisen in the steady influx of pupils. In the High, Middle and the Primary School there is a registered attendance of 240 boys. Including the Principal there are 7 masters, each of whom would have on an average not less than 34 pupils, supposing the classification admitted of an equal distribution. But it is of course impossible so to divide pupils, and in the lowest class one master has 70 boys. Unquestionably another master is needed and it is desirable that he should be qualified to teach mathematics up to the Matriculation standard and have a good knowledge of Kanarese.

3. I beg to recommend that Rs. 50 a month be offered as the lowest figure likely to attract and retain a qualified man from the Mysore country.

4. As a set off to the additional expenditure, Mr. Marsden proposes to increase the scale of fees as particularized in his enclosed letter dated 15th instant. The present rates rise from 2 annas in the lowest class to 12 annas in the highest. It is proposed to change from 1 annas to 1 rupee. The proposed increased rate can very well be borne and will not be higher than that in force in the Mysore High Schools. Mr. Marsden estimates that the additional monthly fee income will amount to Rs. 51. This figure may be expected to rise higher on the formation of a Matriculation class in which the fee levied would be Rs. 1—8—0.

5. Since it is clear that the present staff cannot by any distribution of work be made to perform the duty demanded of it, I trust the Chief Commissioner will be pleased to accord sanction to the appointment in anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India. Anything likely to check the encouraging demand shewn for higher education in Coorg is to be deprecated.

From the Principal, Central School, Mercara, To the Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Coorg, dated Mercara, 15th August 1879.

I have the honor to propose the appointment of another Assistant on a salary of Rs. 50 to the present staff of masters at the Central School.

The number of boys now in the school is 240. Below this figure the attendance is not likely to fall. These boys are divided into 7 classes, the lowest with two divisions, making in all 8 classes, to each of which there is a master. There are two classes, *viz.*, the 3rd with 42 boys, and the lower 1st with 70 boys in which the number of pupils is too large for one master to teach efficiently. If I had another Assistant, the boys might be re-distributed and another class formed.

The recent appointment of a First Assistant has afforded some, but not very much relief for the reason that the late Normal Master took a good deal of the work in the Central School in addition to his own, which was very light. Hence the same work as before is done by the same man under a different denomination.

I propose the appointment of a graduate of the Madras University. He ought (1) to be a good Mathematician and (2) to know Kanarese. There is no one here suitable for the place. I may suggest an advertizement in the Government Gazette as the readiest means of obtaining a qualified candidate. The Principal of the Central College would no doubt report on his qualifications as a Mathematician. If there should be any difficulty in getting a man in Mysore, the Principals of the Colleges at Mangalore, Calicut and Madras might be written to. I had rather have a man good in mathematics and ignorant of Kanarese than one good at Kanarese and bad in mathematics.

I propose meeting the increased expenditure of Rs. 50 per mensem by raising the fees all over the school. The following statement shews the present scale, the proposed scale and the saving that would be effected. When a Matriculation class is formed next year, the rate for that class may be further raised to Re. 1 As. 8. This would give from 6 to 10 rupees more :—

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, Educational Department, 13th September 1879.

Class.	No. of Pupils.	Present Rate.	Amount.	Proposed Rate.	Amount.	Saving effected.
V. ...	11	Annas 12	Rs. 8 As. 4	Re. 1	Rs. 11 As. 0	Rs. 2 As. 12
IV. A. ...	23	„ 12	„ 17 „ 4	„ 1	„ 23 „ 0	„ 5 „ 12
IV. B. ..	20	„ 8	„ 10 „ 0	Annas 12	„ 15 „ 0	„ 5 „ 0
III. ...	42	„ 6	„ 15 „ 12	„ 12	„ 31 „ 8	„ 15 „ 12
II. ...	30	„ 4	„ 7 „ 8	„ 8	„ 15 „ 0	„ 7 „ 8
I. ...	114	„ 2	„ 14 „ 4	„ 4	„ 28 „ 8	„ 14 „ 4
Total.....	240		73 0 0		124 0 0	51 0 0

As shewn in this statement there would be a saving of over Rs. 50 if the scale proposed were adopted, and this would meet the extra expenditure consequent on the appointment of an additional master.

A reference to the list of masters at either of the two High Schools in Mysore Province, *viz.*, those at Shimoga and Mysore, will shew that the number and pay of the staff of masters at both places is very considerably in excess of those at Mercara, while the number of boys in the latter school stands at 240 to 254 at Mysore and 230 at Shimoga.

The following statement compares the staff at the 3 schools :—

Mysore.		Shimoga.		Mercara.	
Assistants.	Pay.	Assistants.	Pay.	Assistants.	Pay.
I B. A.	120	Ist ...	100	I Matric. ...	60
II B. A.	80	II ...	60	II F. A. ...	40
III B. A.	60	III ...	50	III ...	30
IV F. A.	40	IV ..	25	IV ..	20
V	35	V ...	20	V	15
VI Matric	30	VI ...	15	VI ...	15
VII do	25	VII ...	15		
VIII do	20	VIII ...	15		
IX do	15	Munshi.	30		
X do	15				
XI Pupil Teacher ...	5				
XII do ...	5				
Munshi ? ...	?				
Total Masters 12 ...	450	Masters 9.	330	Masters 6.	180
Boys	254	Boys	220	Boys	240

Should my proposition meet with your approval, I trust the Chief Commissioner will sanction the appointment at once in anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India, as no extra expenditure will be involved in the arrangement.

No. 601.—Edl. 4, dated Camp Mysore, 13th September 1879.

Order.—Under the circumstances represented the Chief Commissioner is pleased to sanction the appointment of an additional master on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem for the Mercara High School in anticipation of the approval of the Government of India, on the understanding that the increased charge is covered by extra fees. The Director of Public Instruction should take steps to secure a good man for the mastership about to be created.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Director of Public Instruction (returning original enclosure.)
Superintendent of Coorg.
Comptroller General.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Letter No. 1003, dated 6th instant, from the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, in regard to the destruction of civil and criminal records in Coorg, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner for opinion.	18th Sep. 1879.	
2	The Secretary to the Government of India, Legislative Department, was solicited that the "Legal Practitioners' Bill" may not be made applicable to Coorg in its entirety.	23rd do	
3	A notification ordering that the rules contained in notification No. 161, dated 4th instant, introducing the mark system into the jails of Mysore shall apply to the Mercara Jail from the 1st November next, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	24th do	
4	Copy of Government of India letter No. 1029, dated 12th instant, sanctioning the proposal for bringing on to the permanent establishment a contingent guard of five peons hitherto maintained in the Mercara Jail at a cost of Rs. 37 per mensem, was communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND C[illegible].

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT. 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order	Date of previous Orders.
1	Orders regarding the remission of Rs. 71—8—0 charged by mistake on the Palliyatakadu Paisari in Yedenalknad, were passed and communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	2nd Sept. 1879.	
2	With reference to a draft notification proposed to be issued to landholders regarding the payment of Government dues, the Superintendent of Coorg was requested to state in what way it modified existing procedure, and what defect in the present system it was intended to remedy.	8th do	
3	As solicited, sanction was conveyed to the Superintendent for a re-survey of the Angarekolli estate belonging to one Sitaramaiya at the proprietor's own cost.	9th do	
4	Orders relative to the title-deed of the Anandapur estate, which was originally a bané, were passed and communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	12th do	
5	The draft regulation proposed to be issued for the recovery of arrears of revenue in Coorg, was re submitted for the final approval of the Government of India.	13th do	
6	The orders of the Government of India were solicited on this Office No. 549—10, dated 7th November 1878, submitting for sanction copy of the revised rules for the sale of waste lands in Coorg.	19th do	
7	In reply to letter No. 278, dated 30th June 1879, the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, was informed that the establishment required for the survey of waste land blocks in Coorg was detailed in this Office No. 106—4 of 3rd May last.	18th do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

FINANCIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	As solicited by the Superintendent of Coorg, the notification of sanction for Rs. 9—10—0 for repairing the single boat at the Bedati Kadu ferry, was cancelled.	4th Sep. 1879.	
2	As suggested by the Deputy Accountant General in charge of Her Majesty's Treasury, Bangalore, the permanent advance of this Office was raised from Rs. 50 to Rs. 200 to meet all contingent expenses.	Do	do
3	Copy of Government of India letter No. 2266 of 16th ultimo returning for correction the statement of pensions granted in Coorg during the quarter ended 30th ultimo, was communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg for submission of an amended statement.	5th	do
4	As requested by the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Public Works Department, the unexpended balance of the grant for works carried out in Coorg from District Funds during the current financial year, was placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.	6th	do
5	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to explain the causes which have led to so great an increase as Rs. 30,000 over the budget estimates of the charges for refunds of coffee assessment.	8th	do
6	A notification of sanction for Rs. 137 for shifting tiles on the roofs of the Civil Dispensary and out-houses at Mercara, was accepted.	Do	do
7	The Coorg detailed famine contingent bills for January, February and March 1879, were transmitted to the Comptroller General, duly countersigned.	10th	do
8	Certain further information regarding the inviting of tenders for the collection of tolls at Wattekolli, Anechankar, Fraserpet, Sampaji and Siddapur for the next official year, was called for from the Superintendent of Coorg.	17th	do
9	The Superintendent's report that the right of collecting tolls at Siddapur from 1st instant to 31st March 1880 was sold to one Venkatachalam Pille for Rs. 1,200 was approved.	Do	do
10	As solicited by the Coorg Superintendent, a sum of Rs. 1,427-3-2, being assessment charged on grass land in the demand of 1875—76 on certain estates, was authorized to be struck off the accounts.	Do	do
11	The orders of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, were solicited on the Coorg District Fund Budget for 1879—80.	Do	do
12	The Coorg abkari detailed contingent bills for April, May, June and July 1879, and land revenue detailed contingent bill for February 1879, were forwarded to the Comptroller General, Calcutta, duly countersigned.	22nd	do
13	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to explain certain discrepancies pointed out in the detailed contingent bills submitted by him for April, May, June and July last.	Do	do

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
14	The detailed budget estimates of the Coorg District for 1879–80 as finally passed by the Financial Department, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg for note and return.	22nd Sep. 1879.	
15	Copy of the return of political pensioners in Coorg, corrected up to 1st January 1879, with eighty spare copies was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Do do	
16	Five copies of do do to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	
17	Certain further information regarding the services of Chinnaviri, an attendant of the late Ex-Rajas's family, was called for from the Superintendent of Coorg.	24th do	
18	Copy of a statement received from the Coorg Superintendent shewing the unexpended balances of appropriations made from allotments placed at the Superintendent's disposal for works debited to District Funds for 1879—80, was forwarded to the Secretary, Public Works Department, in continuation.	25th do	
19	Copy of a letter from the Comptroller General, No. 5374, dated 20th instant, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg, with a request that a statement shewing the amount of expenditure incurred in 1878—79 on famine relief in excess of the grant of Rs. 8,000 may be furnished to that officer.	28th do	
20	The Coorg medical contingent bill for March 1879 for Rs. 679—8—8, was forwarded to the Comptroller General, duly countersigned.	Do do	
21	The entertainment of five Police Inspectors for road patrol for checking coffee stealing in Coorg was sanctioned, and the Superintendent was requested to submit a re-appropriation statement to meet their pay.	29th do	9th August 1879.
22	The Comptroller General was requested to furnish this Office with the particulars of the "Average emoluments" on which a pension of Rs. 6—7—0 was calculated as payable to Palekandra Ponnappa.	30th do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to submit a draft notification introducing the bye-laws in force at Mahadeopet Municipality into those of Kodlipet, Somvarpet and Fraserpet.	2nd Sep 1879.	
2	The receipt of four copies of the Municipal Report of Assam for 1878—79, was acknowledged with thanks to the Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Shillong.	Do do	
3	The monthly register of effective and non-effective officers employed in the Coorg Province with proportionate return and blank statement of vacancies for the month of August 1879, was submitted to the Government of India.	5th do	
4	A petition from Bellenda Bellijappa of Mercara, No. 1723 of 26th ultimo, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg for report.	8th do	
5	A petition from A. Kalappa, Padinalknad Taluk, Coorg, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg for disposal.	13th do	
6	The despatch of certain printed copies of the Home Department Notification No. 518, dated 6th March 1879, regarding the rules made by the Governor General in Council under the Indian Arms Act XI of 1878, and of the Indian Stamp Act I of 1879, was advised to the Superintendent of Coorg.	17th do	
7	Copy of the "List of Forest trees in Mysore and Coorg" was forwarded to the Inspector of Schools, Coorg Circle.	Do do	
8	Copy of an endorsement granted to one Karim Saib, regarding his claim to certain timber in the Coorg Forests, was forwarded to the Assistant Conservator.	Do do	
9	Certain original enclosures received with her petition dated 24th October 1878, were returned, as solicited, to Devammaji, daughter of Lingarajendra Raja, Coorg, residing at Benares.	Do do	
10	Copies of certain printed memoranda received from Dr Bradis, Inspector General of Forests, were communicated to the Assistant Conservator.	Do do	
11	In reply, the Superintendent, Madras Survey, was informed that the address of the Deputy Superintendent, Mysore Topographical Survey was at present Bangalore.	20th do	
12	In reply, P. Ponnappa of Nallare, Kiggatnad Taluk, was informed that the Chief Commissioner declined to interfere in his case regarding the demand made by the Superintendent for the balance of the purchase money, *viz.*, Rs. 308, on the Katikallu Parambu kadu.	22nd do	
13	Copy of Government of India Resolution No. 6—228-244 of 30th ultimo, on the subject of the adoption in India of the system of inspection and grading of wheat and other grains, was communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	24th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
14	The receipt of ten copies of the Mulatinkeletta Estate No. 4808, was acknowledged to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, and four copies forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg.	25th Sep. 1879.	
15	Copy of Coorg Assistant Conservator's letter No. 528—110 of 16th September 1879, was forwarded to the Public Prosecutor, Nundydroog Division, for submission of the required information regarding the case of Government *versus* Forester Narnappa.	Do do	
16	Two notices of sale of certain rice lands in Coorg in satisfaction of Government dues were gazetted	Do do	
17	A notice of sale of certain lands in Coorg applied for under the Waste Land Rules was gazetted.	Do do	
18	On a report submitted by the Superintendent, a reward within the limits of four annas each was authorized to be paid in the Municipalities of Coorg for every venomous snake destroyed.	Do do	
19	Copies of certain correspondence regarding the forms of Sanitary Reports and laying down rules for the registration of births and deaths, were forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	
20	Certain bye-laws sanctioned for the Kodlipet, Fraserpet and Somvarpet Municipalities in Coorg, were gazetted.	26th do	
21	In reply, the Subordinate Judge of the Bangalore District was informed that Mr. W. C. Rochfort, Head Clerk of this Office, has retired from the service.	Do do	
22	An amended notice regarding applications made by ryots for duplicates of Jamma Sanuads, the originals of which are said to have been lost, was gazetted, and copy communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	29th do	
23	The Coorg Municipal Report for 1878—79 with the Chief Commissioner's review thereon, was forwarded to the Superintendent, Government Press, for being printed.	Do do	
24	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to expedite the transmission of the School Endowment Plantation Report for 1878—79.	Do do	

COORG CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 30th September 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.